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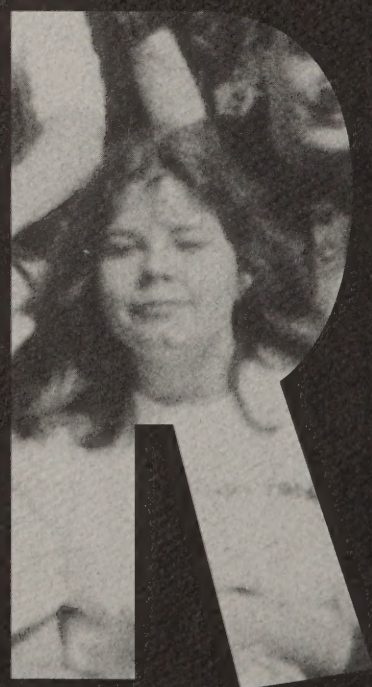
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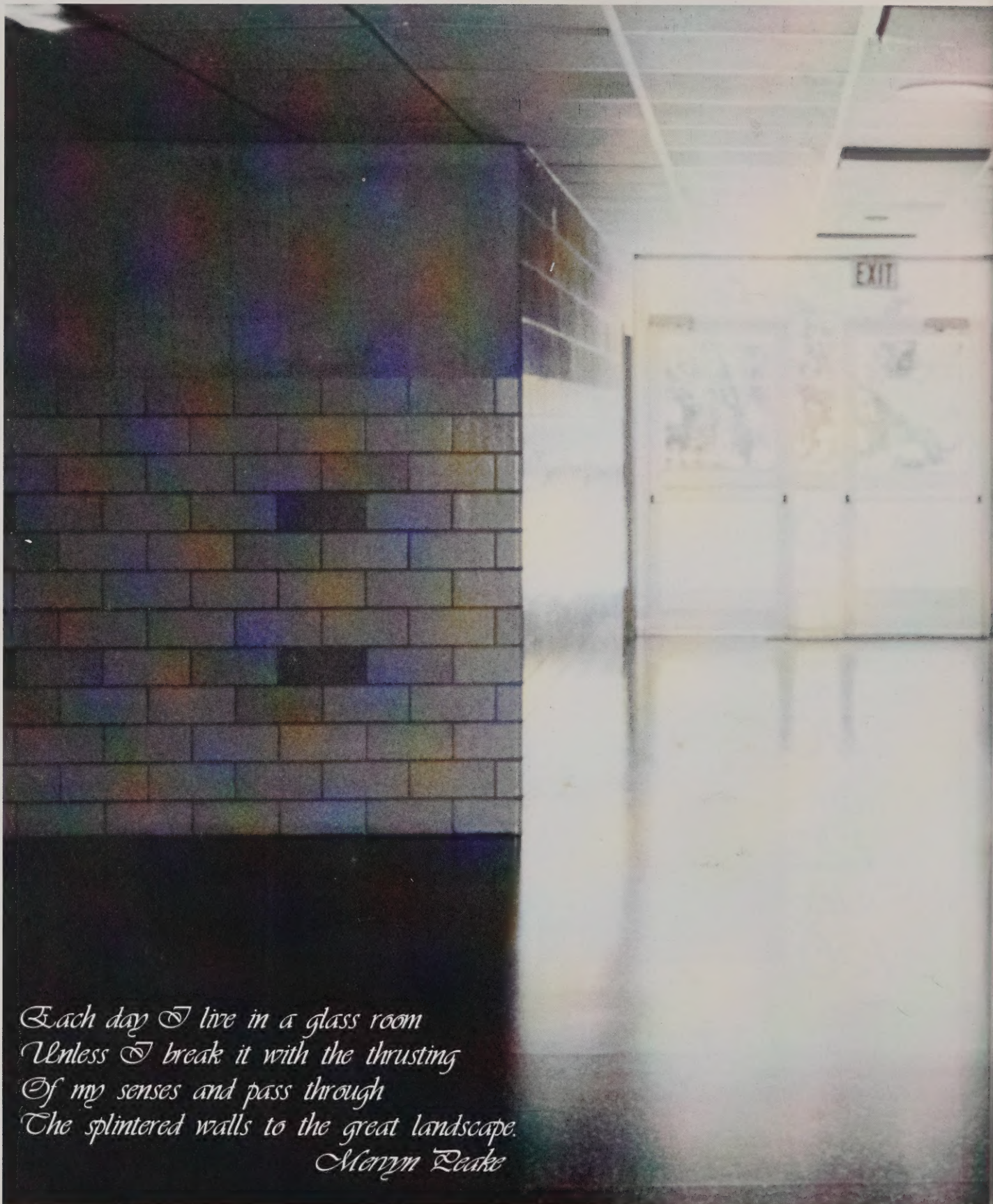
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*Enrollment: 898*







*Each day I live in a glass room  
Unless I break it with the thrusting  
Of my senses and pass through  
The splintered walls to the great landscape.  
Merryn Deake*





# Breaking Through

Whether it was in schoolwork, sports, music, art, or just hanging out, Ludlow High School students' enthusiasm could not be contained. Like rays of afternoon sunshine it radiated in all that they did.

From cheering at sports events to raising money for local charities, the Lions always went the extra mile. No matter what their activities were, their energy, creativity, and pride were always breaking through, beyond the walls of Ludlow High School.



*The best  
party of  
the year  
was Jeff  
Rodrigues's  
post senior  
show  
bash.*

Linda Dias '98







*Batman* can say goodbye to Robin because Keith Smolinski is his new sidekick! At the Warner Bros. store in Boston, Keith entertains his friends during the senior class trip. The November trip meant freezing cold temperatures, and Keith is wearing a heavy jacket to protect his "superhero" body from the wind.

*Sandwiched* between Bela Baltazar and Mia Rodriguez is celebrity Meredith Brooks. The girls met the singer in New York City during their psychology field trip. The trip fell on the same day as the Grammy Award Show. Meredith accepted the girls' request for a photo and was quite cordial.



# Breaking LOOSE

◆ STUDENTS PARTY DOWN ON WEEKENDS ◆

*Riverside* Park in Agawam created some new rides over the summer. The "Time Warp" was a popular attraction; junior Sandra Ramallete had to wait in line over 45 minutes. She is the passenger in the top row, second from the right.

*Friends* Krystal Soja and Jackie Korbel get ready for the annual "festa" at Our Lady of Fatima Church in Ludlow. The Labor Day weekend carnival attracts thousands of people every year. The girls enjoyed Portuguese foods, carnival rides, and games.

After five rigorous days of studying, reading, notetaking, doing homework, practicing for band, and traveling to games, LHS students reserved their weekends for fun; however, some had to work. Heather Fonseca works as a waitress: "I hated working when all my friends got together. It made me feel left out."

Popular activities include going to the movies, renting videos, eating out, and attending parties.

Getting away from the pressures of school loomed as the first priority.

Students found their own sneaky ways of meeting that "certain somebody." Students went out in groups to eliminate any dating anxiety. They used gatherings after athletic events to meet their recent crushes. . . and it worked.



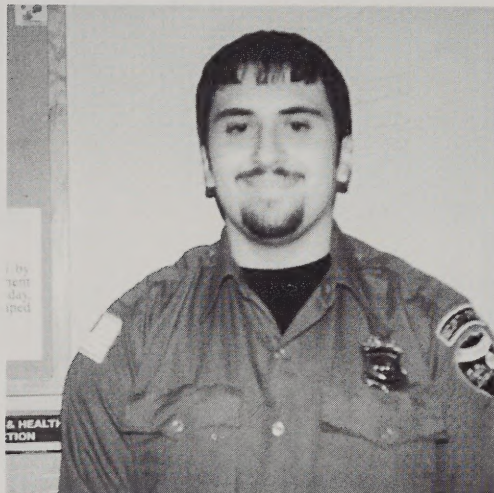
# Break TIME

## ◆ WORKING HARD FOR THE MONEY ◆

Being employed part-time has its advantages and its disadvantages. Some of the advantages include the sense of obligation, the feeling of responsibility, and the long awaited paycheck. The disadvantages include juggling school and work, receiving low wages, and missing out on weekend fun. Paul Barroso who works at Tony and Penny's says, "I barely have

time to go out."

Most of the students work in fast food restaurants and department stores; however, some students like Keith Smolinski get to do things they enjoy: "I play music, and I make 'gallons' of money." Working allows the teenagers to gain some independence financially. They no longer have to beg Mom and Dad for an allowance.



*Polking* the rink at Interskate 91 occupies Jeff Rodrigues's time after school. As an "interskate" police officer, Jeff makes sure the kids obey the rules and do not do anything that may hurt themselves or the people around them.

*Donuts* are Danny Serra's life! At Chmura's Bakery in Indian Orchard, Danny can be found working six days a week. At the Halloween Ball, Danny is dressed appropriately as a baker. He even brought a decorated cake for the occasion.







*I hate  
when  
customers  
come in  
seconds  
before  
closing...and  
take a  
really long  
time.*

Monica Ribeiro '98



Tavares throws some flour at Zelia Flores. At Central Bakery in Ludlow, the juniors were always pulling pranks. A few seconds after the photo was taken, the two got into trouble with the boss.

Farm in Ludlow expanded. The big building required more workers. During the holidays, Carol Graveline, Nadia Saleh, and Danielle Morcavage were kept very busy. The fruit stand now looks and feels like a grocery store. The fresh produce attracts customers from all over the area.



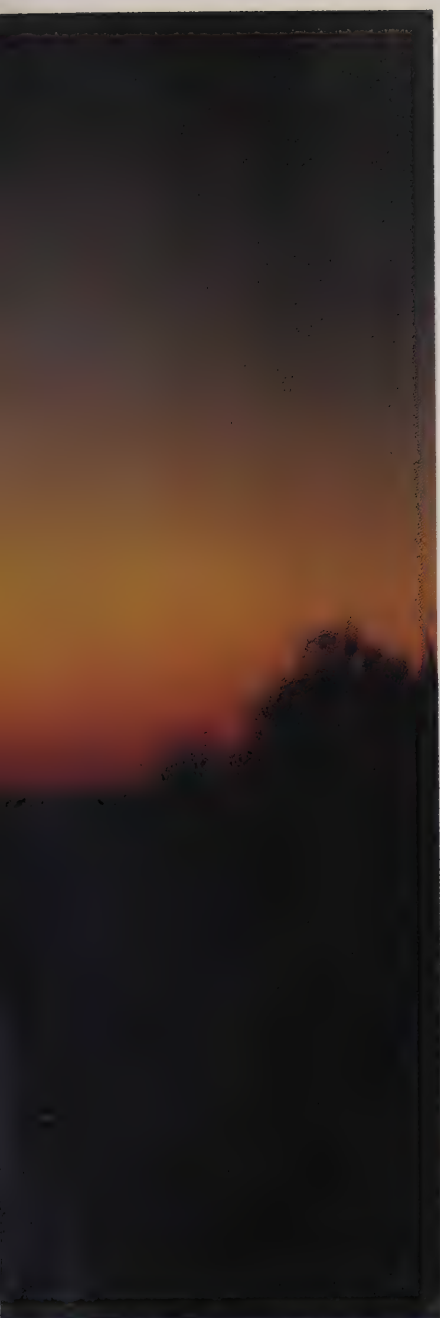


*I only  
wear  
things  
that I  
will be  
able to  
comfortably  
fall asleep  
in.*

Becky Rustic '99







*Ben* Michalski displays a laid-back style. The long-haired hockey player hardly smiles, but his clothes show his sense of humor. Ben's brightly colored T-shirt is complemented by the autumn sunset.

*Leandro* the anatomy classes had to dissect their minks on Student Council's Dress-Up Day. Shannon Robar, Kristen Fioravanti, and Jen Leandro all helped the senior class win \$100.



*Hop-Hop* Day required people to wear baggy clothes. Mrs. Suzanne Kelley got into the spirit of Spirit Week; she revealed her "G-Funk" side with gold chains and her daughter's jeans, T-shirt, and hoop earrings.

*Danielle* Maruca has wild, orange and yellow curls. She is working on a poster for National Honor Society, and the bright colors she is using match her fingernails and hair.



# Breaking IT IN

## ◆ STUDENTS AT LHS HAVE STYLE ◆

**S**tyle separates people and makes them individuals. Self images are conveyed through clothing and hair styles.

1998 brought in a number of new fashions; however, some have remained trendy for years. Flared pants and velvet button-up shirts were popular with the girls. The boys stuck with baseball caps and baggy pants. When boys dressed up on days of games, they wore khakis, button-up shirts and colorful ties. "My favorite tie would have to be my red tie with fishing hooks," stated Kevin Psoter.

At semiformals, girls bought dresses with a lot of shine. Leopard prints were found as well as fur trim. The colors were either very bright or very dark. Bright green dresses were contrasted with black velvet gowns. Ludlow High School students displayed their personalities through their clothing. Rebecca Carrington's favorite color was blue, and she often wore blue clothes: "I love my sheer blue shirt with blue flowers on it."



# Bursting

## WITH SPIRIT

### ◆ CHEERING AND GOING WILD AT GAMES ◆

The pep rallies. The painted faces. Maroon and white everywhere. What else comes to mind when one thinks of school spirit? "Dedication," stated Dan Quiterio.

Students supported the school by going to games and screaming, cheering, and supporting Ludlow's talented athletes. Student Council painted faces for free. Paw prints were the most popular drawing.

Soccer games were very well attended, and

wrestling meets were televised on the new public access station. Seniors proved to be the most spirited class by winning numerous awards during spirit week and winning the \$100 prize for Dress Up Day. Julie Rickson believed the "seniors showed the most spirit because it was their last year together; they wanted to make memories."



student Monica Sanchez paints Jeff Bernard's face during a soccer game at the Lusitano Stadium. She also allowed Student Council to paint her face. Monica enjoyed participating in Ludlow High School's student life.

Juliano was forced to wear this fancy outfit during Student Council's Personal Servants' Day. Student Council auctioned off its members in order to raise money for Student Government Day and the Mullins Award. Faithful members did whatever their owners wanted them to do; that included dressing up like idiots.





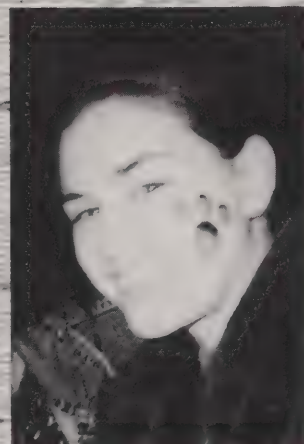


the boys' soccer team won the Western Mass title, the fans went wild. They jumped off the bleachers and hugged the players. Fans of all ages rushed the field trying to locate their favorite player.

This is what the crowd yelled as Rick Glanville ran through the bleachers without his shirt on. The maroon letters spelled "LUDLOW," until he smudged the art with his shirt. Then it just read "WDLOW."

*I went to  
a lot of  
games in  
the fall.  
I liked  
watching  
soccer...  
players.*

Devyn Blais '98





*I love  
my '71  
Ford  
Maverick,  
cuz it's  
the  
coolest.*

Jason Birch '98







**17** Lisa DeSousa lucked out and got the front seat. Lisa was more of a passenger than a driver. As one of the youngest members of the senior class, she got her license a long time after her friends.

**17** Moriarty and Lisa Rogowski relax on the "Yellow Volvo," Erin's famous car. The two girls are waiting outside Carly Knowles's house. The car was given to Erin by her grandfather; she later sold it for a 1998 Honda Civic.



# Breakdown LANE

## ♦ STUDENTS FIND FREEDOM IN DRIVING ♦

**17** Ferreira and Tony Henriques fool around in the parking lot. The two seniors were always together. Here they stand on top of Chris Martell's truck for absolutely no reason.

**17** Adams and Leah Dijak enjoy the comfortable seats on the school van. The school van provided all the transportation to the ski team's competitions.

**V**room! Vroom! Sounds like this one can be heard blasted in students' ears after school. The parking lot is overcrowded with seniors' cars... and some sneaky juniors' cars too. The upperclassmen's cars held "umph" under their hoods, and it wasn't unusual to hear seniors skidding out of the parking lot at 2:00.

People weren't very satisfied with their cars and planned many improvements. Chris Wells was very satisfied with his modifications: "My truck slams."

Traffic remains the young drivers' biggest pet

peeve. Gas money and insurance payments are other burdens with which the motorists must deal. The cars exhaust their savings fairly quickly. Luckily for Sarah Lewison, her parents "pay for everything."

In the end, the upperclassmen consider the advantages far greater. Having a car means having freedom. Students are able to drive to concerts, the movies, and parties. Aaron Saunders's car could be seen parked outside "wherever Bob Dylan was playing."



# Housebroken

## PETS

### ◆ FINDING AFFECTION IN CREATURES ◆

Rudlow High School students hold special places in their hearts for their pets. The animals range from snakes and fish to dogs and horses. Some students have a number of animals in their home. Stacey Downing had to deal with two young cats in the house; they were always getting into all kinds of trouble: "They run down the halls at high velocities, taking down everything in their path...sometimes, even ME!"

Pets bring smiles to their owners' faces, but they can also bring frowns. The loss of a pet

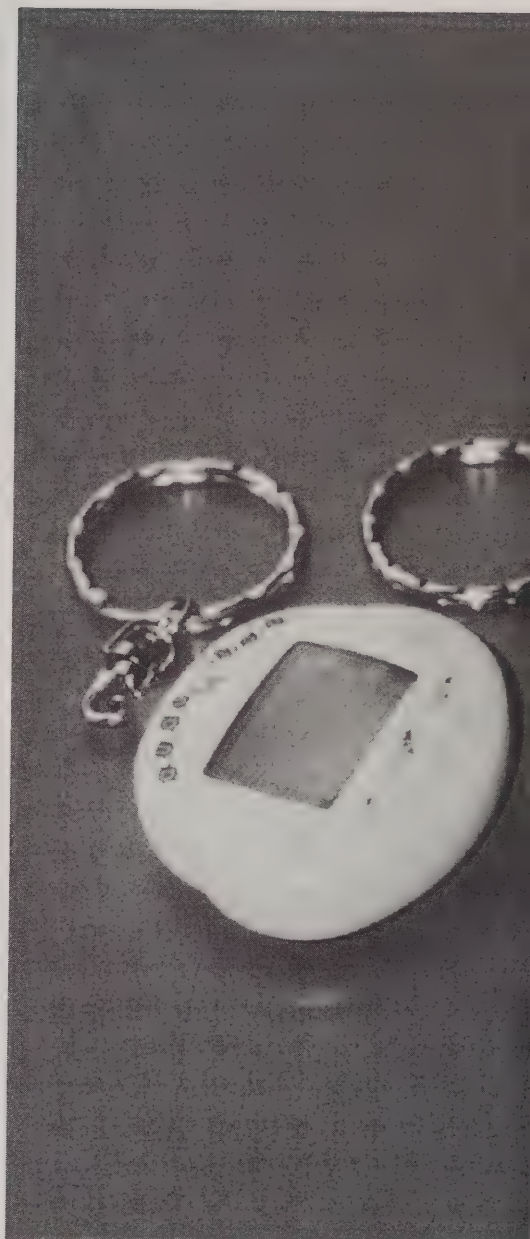
has brought many tears to one's eyes. The presents left in shoes are another reason why pets can be a nuisance rather than a pleasure. Ray Phoenix's golden retriever, Sammy, "ends up almost getting hit by a car all the time."

Pets can be special friends. They can always keep a secret longer than any person can. Their affectionate licks and warm fur are always a comfort and a source of happy memories. LHS students appreciate their pets and own a variety of different kinds.



Geer's dog Max is hyper. Sometimes the dog overpowers its owner. Brian received a huge gash above his eye when the dog was a puppy. Max is a Brittany Spaniel with a lot of spunk; in the photo, Brian has to hold the dog down in order for it to stay still.

Amy Labier's horse, is her best friend. She has owned it for over four years and visits it every day. She has competed professionally in riding events with Bounty.







*My  
father  
owns a  
huge boa.  
He  
keeps it at  
his tattoo  
parlor.*

Kerri Padgett '00

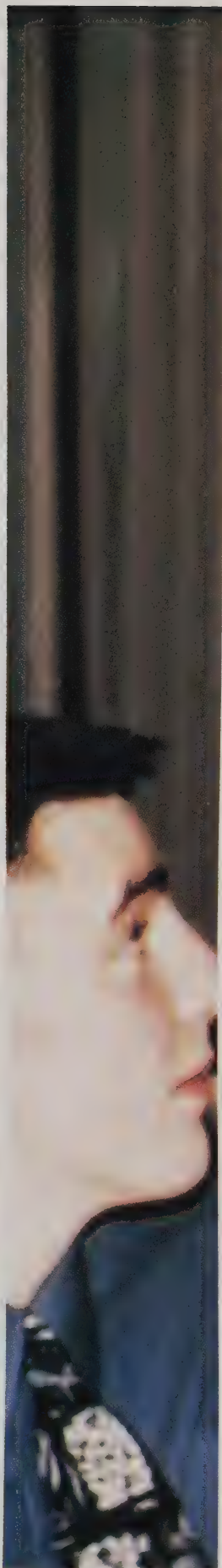


and other electronic pets were the hottest toys during the holidays. The keychain pets were noisy, and teachers all around the country became exasperated. Some schools outlawed the plastic creatures.

love, or dinner, depending on what ethnic group you belong to! Diolinda Vaz gets a hug from her rabbit, Chubs. The bunny was the only one in the litter, so it grew fatter than a normal rabbit would have.











# Seniors



*Lisa* DeSousa, Kristen Fioravanti, Tina Ganhao, and Donna Chrzan enjoy the Halloween Ball held in the cafeteria.

*Derek* Filipe has a conversation with Devyn Blais at the senior banquet held at the Comfort Inn in Chicopee.

*The Class of 1998 stuck together through hardship, triumph, and boredom proving that nothing could keep its spirit down. From the beginning, seniors wanted to be different. The 205 students embarked on a journey to leave their mark, to break through all the rest.*

*In a flash, four years of high school vanished for most seniors. Others believed the years dragged on. But every day, the class shared memories that will never cease. . . memories that will always break through.*





Jameelia Abdullah



Zachary Adams



Susana Afonso



Connie Alexander



Joseph Alexander



Joseph Alvaro



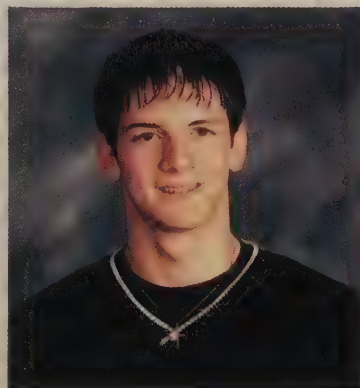
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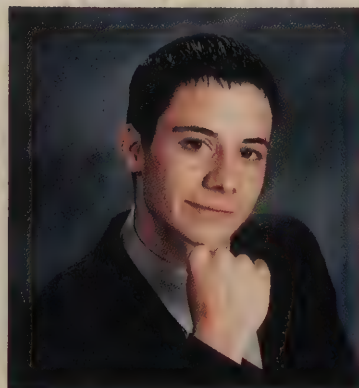
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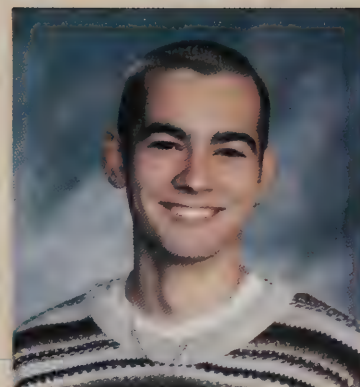
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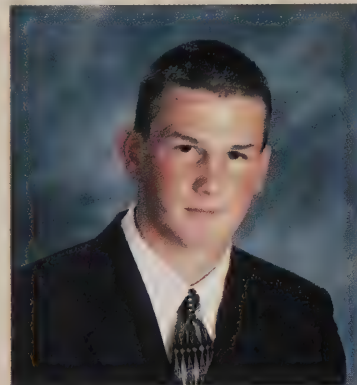
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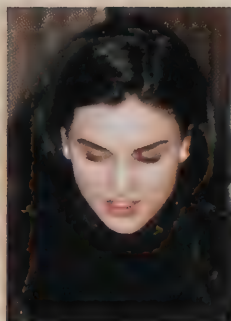
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Kelly Bobowiec



Brittany Boduch







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April Buoniconti



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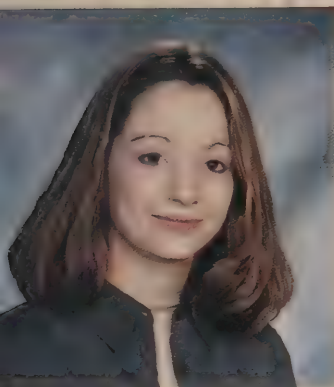
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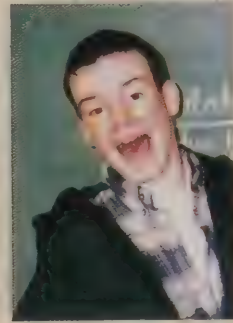
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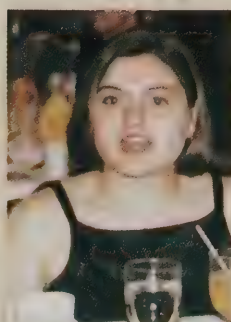
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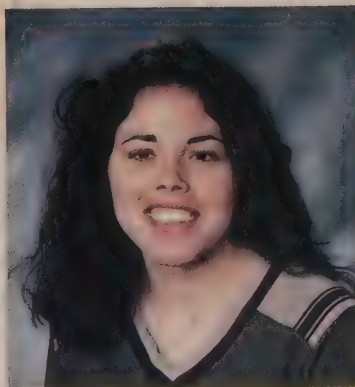




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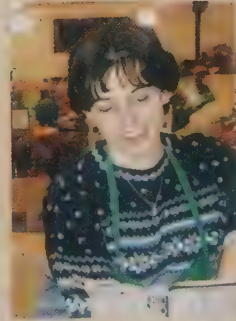
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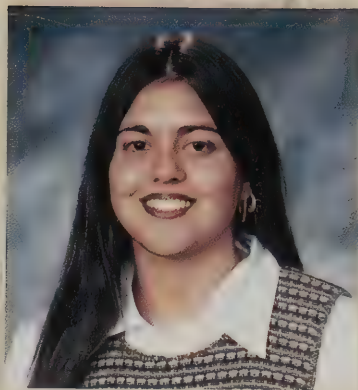
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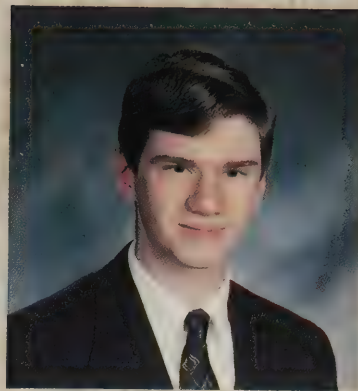




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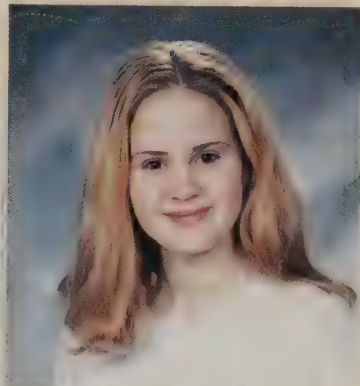
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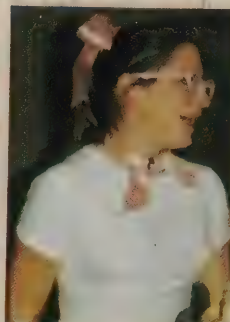
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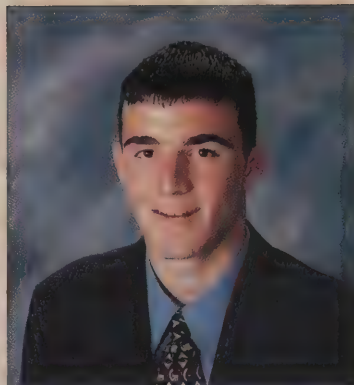




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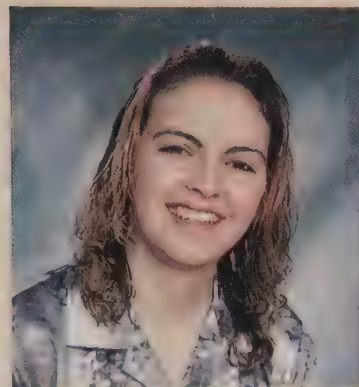
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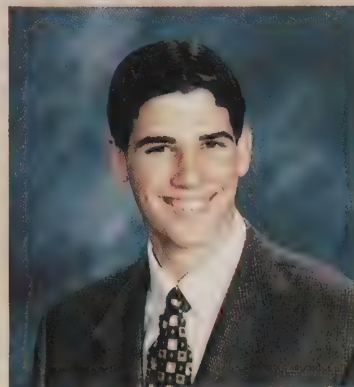
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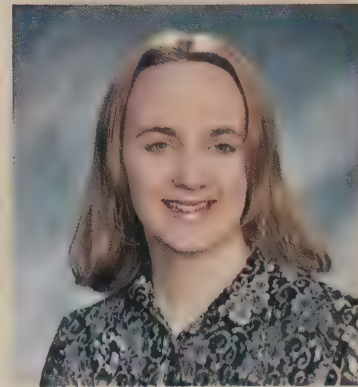
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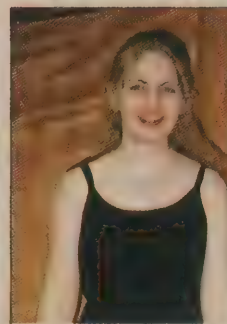
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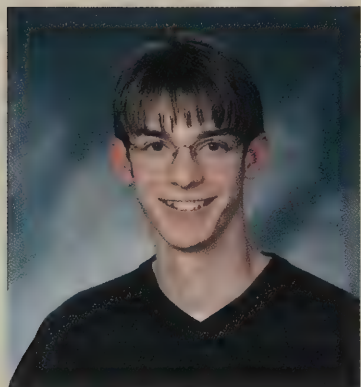
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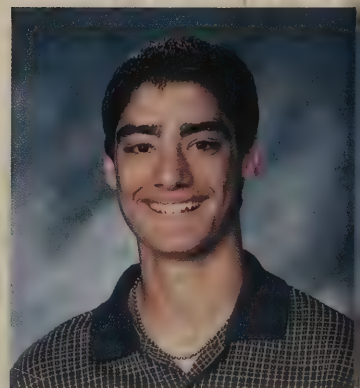
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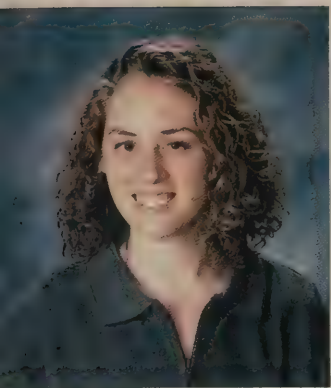
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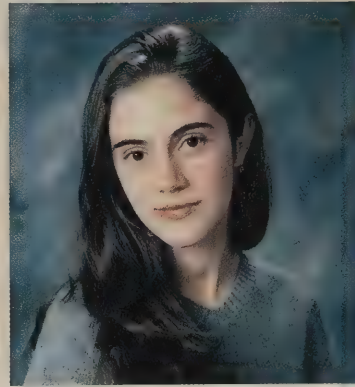
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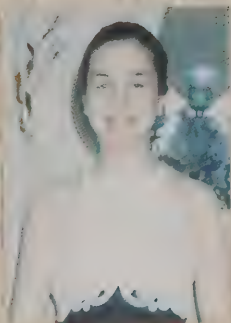
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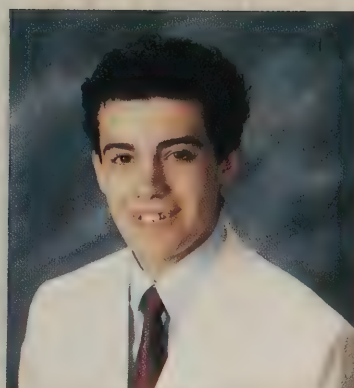




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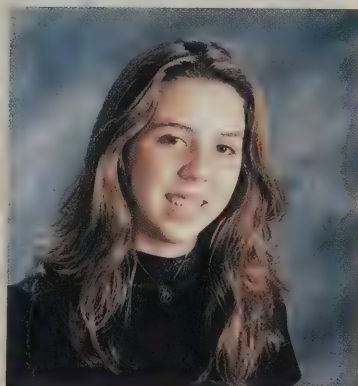
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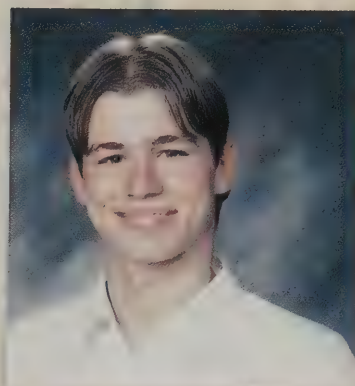
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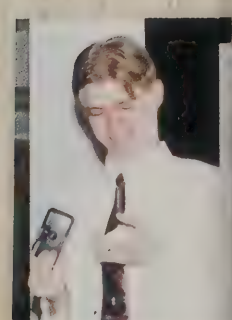
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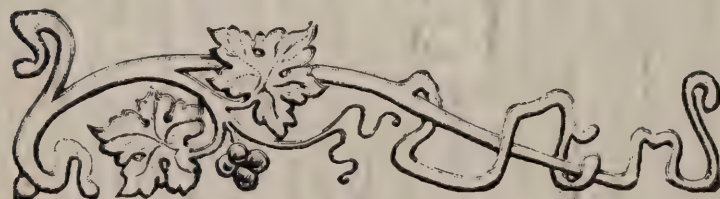
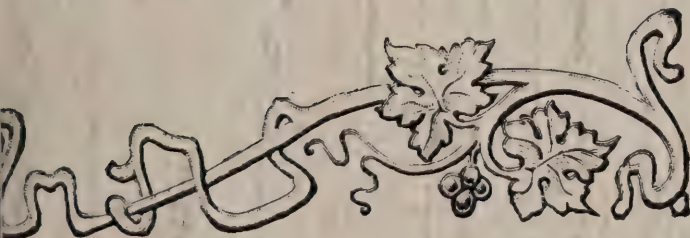
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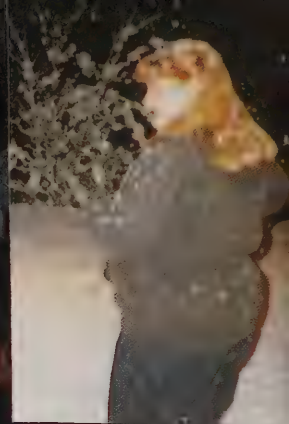
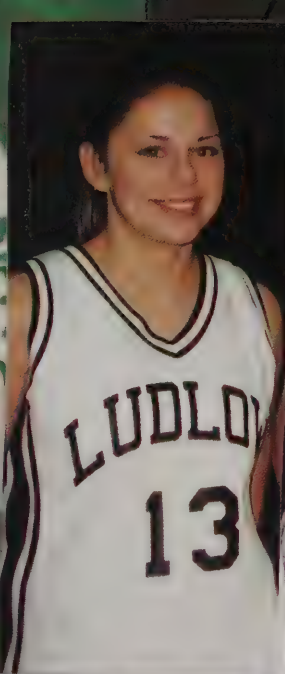
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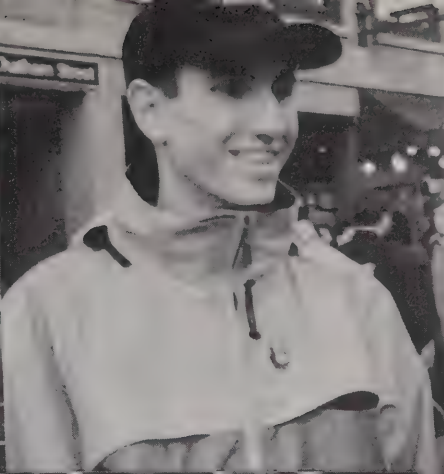
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Alexander Bal

















# Semiformals



*Semiformals are a tradition at Ludlow High School. Each class sponsors one. The students get dressed up in gowns and suits to look special for a night together.*

*The semiformals are planned months in advance. DJs and caterers are carefully selected. Homecoming is the first semiformal of the year, and The Pub has the formidable task of putting it on. More students attend Homecoming than any other event.*

Salema sports a lei at the junior banquet. Bright green, yellow, and pink leis were handed out by the DJ as prizes.

had their first banquet at the Polish Club. With elaborate hair-dos on the girls and wide smiles on the guys, the dance floor sparkled.



Zori Smolinski, Cristina Nascimento, Erin Fuller, Ana Ventura, and Milena Sebastiao attack the camera man to have their picture taken.



Audrey Scott and Ana Pereira make a Filomena Carvalho sandwich.

## Freshmen break into a Winter Wonderland

The freshman class held its first banquet, "A Winter Wonderland Ball" at the Polish Club on Friday, December 19, 1997.

The freshman executive board decorated the Polish Club with snowflakes, banners, and Christmas lights. The night

started off at 7:00 p.m. with a buffet provided by Solmar Restaurant. The buffet consisted of roast beef, chicken wings, and potatoes and a variety of desserts.

Afterwards the freshmen enjoyed a night of dancing until 11:00 p.m. Their first banquet was a success.



The freshmen gather in a circle as Coach Pete lives up the dance floor with his funky moves.





With a crowd this big, the dance floor at the Polish Club was packed with freshmen and their dates.

Elizabeth Dyjak and her date Justin Laramie slow dance. The floor was filled with many couples that night.



Angela Lewinski rests from all the activity on the dance floor while attracting the attention of a few male friends.

All the freshmen stop and watch Alex Portelada and Greg Gaudreau "strut their stuff."



Shiny, metallic dresses were popular with Jen Goncalves and her friends at the sophomore banquet.

Jen Germain goes wild on the dance floor.



Michelle Zina, Kaidy Liszka, Steve Ricardi, and Jessica Piesz take a break from the excitement of the dance floor.

Docelyn Maksymiwi and Brandi Lawrence boogie on the dance floor. Brandi's dress captures the light of the camera.







## *Sophomores break into a Winter Fantasy*

**T**he Class of 2000 held its sophomore banquet at the Polish American Citizens Club. "Winter Fantasy" was held on Saturday, December 20 from 6:00 p.m. until 10:30 p.m. The night started off with a buffet provided by Alcoa Catering. It consisted

of salad, bread, roast beef, meatballs, and roasted potatoes. For dessert the sophomores had a choice of either cherry cheesecake or napoleons. Afterwards sophomores had a chance to dance the night away. A variety of music was provided by The Party Doctors.



Sue Jessmer laughs as her date Jay Mancuso gets impatient while waiting for his dessert.



Lauren Auffrey "strikes a pose" at the sophomore banquet.



Christina Barbeau and Nate Duquet share a special moment together at their banquet



Heather Fonseca laughs as she gets the opportunity to wrap up Putnam Vocational School's Nelson Eusebio with toilet paper.

Eliseu Bernardes, Chris Gendreau, Fil Carreira, and Marco Saraiva were dressed to kill at "An Enchanted Evening."



Michelle Carvalho is stylin' in Todd Kiel's hat.

## Juniors break into an Enchanted Evening

The class of 1999 held its third banquet on February 7. The banquet entitled "An Enchanted Evening" started at 6:30 p.m. at the Wyckoff Country Club in Holyoke, Massachusetts.

The evening started off with the staff of Wychoff collecting meal tickets. Juniors had a choice of chicken, beef, or a vegetarian platter. After the dinner DJ Tom held a little game to get things

started up. Heather Fonseca, Michelle Mateus, Rob Mathias, and Brent Bonzek gathered teams. Once the game was done, dancing began. Banquet goers received a treat when Michael Jackson, also known as Bobby Shanley, showed off his dance moves. Also Patricia Maggard sang "My Heart Will Go On," the theme from the popular movie, Titanic. All too soon the night ended, with the juniors looking forward to their banquet next year.



One of the many class couples Rob Mathias and Daniell Maruca share a warm hug at their banquet.





*Dustin Joyal has disco fever.*



*Inna Silvestri, Audrey Scott, Jessica Salema, and Maria Pereira anxiously wait for their meal.*



*Kim Mosio smiles at her classmates out on the dance floor.*

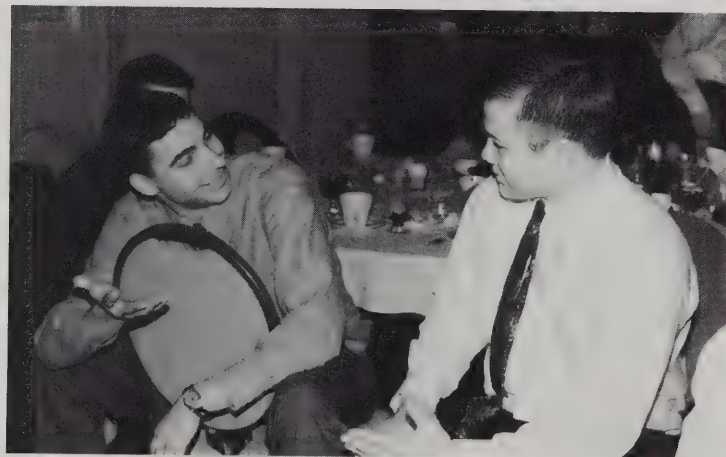






A group of senior guys enjoy their meal at the Comfort Inn in Chicopee.

Dustin Calheno, sporting his popular suspenders, shows the crowd how to dance.



On a sarcastic manner, Aaron Babinski argues with his buddy, Dave Kwajewski.

Donna Chrzan, Tiffany Evans, Shannon Robar, and Melissa Leal are always ready to pose for a picture!





# Seniors break into Winter Dreams

**T**he senior class of 1998 held its last semiformal banquet on Saturday, January 17, at the Comfort Inn in Chicopee.

The night started off at 6:00 p.m. with cocktail hour. The seniors enjoyed an assortment of cheeses, crackers, and fruits. Then dinner was served, starting

with a salad and bread. For the main course, seniors had a choice of three meals: roast beef, chicken, or baked scrod. For desserts they enjoyed vanilla ice cream topped with chocolate sauce. Seniors then partied for the rest of the night to music provided by David Costa. The seniors departed at 11:00 p.m. with memories that they will never forget.



*M*elissa Kulas is caught by surprise while relaxing with her date Ben Lemek.



Alex Carvalho shows off his beautiful smile while laughing along with a group of his friends.

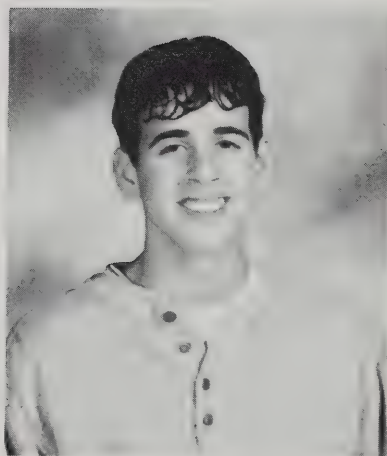


*S*tacey Downing and Bryan Provost relax before they hit the dance floor.





Senior Dave Kwajewski won Homecoming King. Dave was an attendant at many of the boys' varsity soccer games and stated, "It took a lot of yelling, but it was worth seeing the soccer team win." During his four years at Ludlow High School, Dave has been involved with golf, baseball (in which he was captain), Model Congress, As Schools Match Wits, and the class of 1998's executive board.



Junior Jason Martins stated, "I felt happy and I was shocked because I didn't think I would be nominated."

During his three years at Ludlow High School Jay has been a member of the soccer and wrestling teams. He also added, "I'm a fan of all LHS sports."



## The Cub breaks through with Homecoming 1997

On Friday, November 21, the second annual Homecoming Semiformal was held in both high school gymnasiums. Outside, a maroon carpet led the students to the door, and a silver "Homecoming" sign was erected to invite guests inside. At 6:30, those having their portraits taken by The Greniers were welcomed in. As they walked down the stairs underneath an arch of maroon and white balloons, their hands met the ivy and lace that intertwined with the railing. Under the direction of Linda Dias, the chairperson of the event, the gym was transformed into a ballroom.

At 7:30 p.m., Dias officially welcomed everyone to Homecoming. Approximately 500 people were in attendance, including 1997 graduates. The Homecoming court candidates were announced. Tiffany Evans and Dave Kwajewski represented the senior class. Heather Fonseca and Jay Martins were nominated by the class of 1999. The sophomore candidates were Mia Cabana and Derek Venne. The freshmen were Lisete Simoes and Steve Jorge.

Nelson Camacho coordinated the music for the night, and DJs Dave Costa and Dan Fonseca had the chaperones "cutting a rug." "My favorite part of Homecoming was getting down with Mr. O'Connor," stated Cynthia Lantaigne. The chaperones were in the middle of the students, dancing and singing with

them. At times, a fuse would blow out because of all of the power being used. People would begin to "boo" and riot; minutes later the music would return to the relief of *The Cub* staff.

Chmura's Bakery donated German chocolate cheesecake and fudge brownies. Central Bakery donated carrot cake squares, cheesecake squares, and napoleans. Among the variety of refreshments were fruits, vegetables, dip, and punch. The food was available throughout the night for students taking breaks from the dancing. "I ate everything!," commented Ryan Chaves. They sat at tables and relaxed, taking sips from their citrus punch, talking with their friends or dates.

The newest addition to Ludlow's royal court, led by Queen Tiffany Evans and King Dave Kwajewski danced together to "That's What Friends Are For," an appropriate song for the longtime pals. "Dave and I have been friends for a long time," said Evans. "Dave won't stop singing that [song] to me now!" she later said.

When the night ended, hundreds of people trickled out of the semiformal wearing a little less than what they had brought. Ties were hanging off necks in disarray; girls held their shoes in their hands. Bobby pins had loosened during all of the dancing; hair held up only hours before was hanging past shoulders; but everyone had had a great time.



The Greniers were available at Homecoming to take pictures of couples and friends. Here Elizabeth Barry and Carla Alves wait to pick up their keychains.



*S*eniors Beth Ingalls, Jenn Leandro, and Bela Baltazar enjoy a night of magic at Homecoming 1997.



*Senior* Tiffany Evans had the honor of being Homecoming Queen. She stated, "I was happy, surprised, and honored. I thought it was cool that I won Queen and Dave [Kwajewski] won King because we're friends and it was really nice."

During her four years at Ludlow High School, Tiffany has been vice president of her class, and a member of Student Council, the volleyball team, softball team, Technology Committee, and School Council.



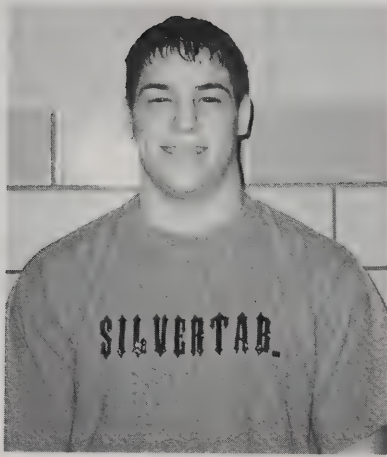
*Junior* Heather Fonseca stated, "I was really excited when I heard my name get called. I was nervous going up to the platform praying that I wouldn't trip. It was an honor to represent my class as the one with the most school spirit."

Heather is president of the junior class and a member of Student Council and of SADD. She plays basketball and soccer and runs track and field.

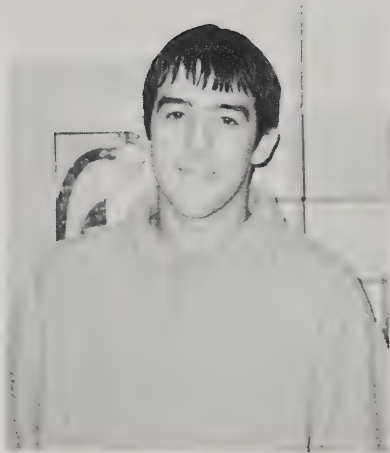


*Amanda Bilodeau, Nichole Robitaille, Tamara Bilodeau, Jessica Charbonneau, and Jim Gagne have fun at Homecoming 1997.*





Sophomore Derek Venne stated, "I was surprised that my class stood behind me [and nominated me]." During his two years at Ludlow High School, Derek has participated in football and wrestling.



Freshman Steve Jorge stated, "I thought I was hotter than a mug." This was Steve's reaction to his nomination. During his first year at Ludlow High School, Steve has participated in soccer.



A returning 1997 graduate, Derek Swistak, and senior Tracy Casimiro tear up the dance floor at Homecoming 1. This event was sponsored by Ludlow High School's newspaper, *The Cub*.



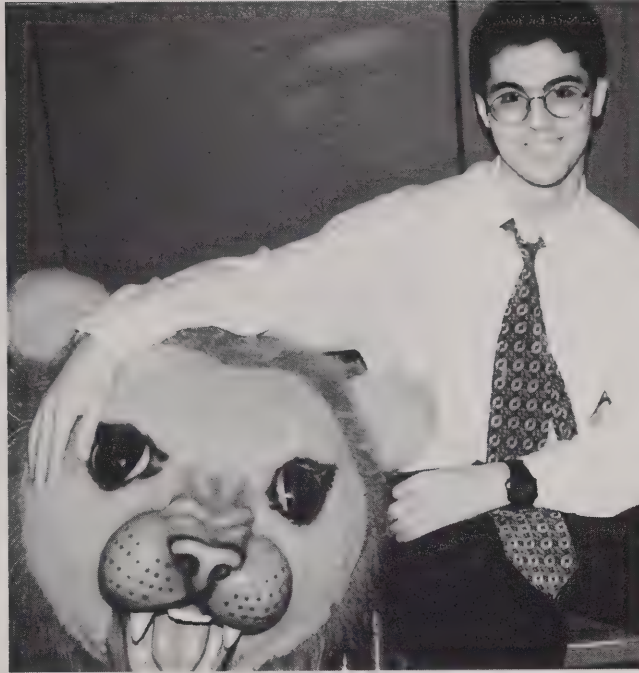
Mr. Philip Dalessio is a favorite teacher of many students. Best friends Lisa Rogowski and Melissa Roy share a moment of their last Homecoming with their favorite, Mr. D.



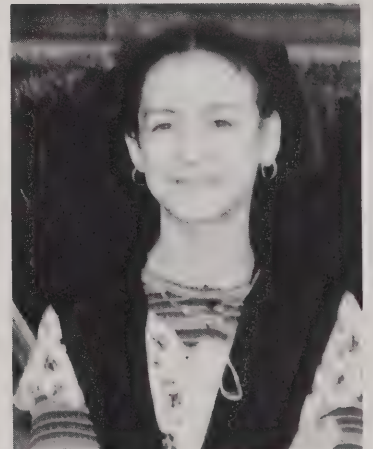
Bela Dias smiles shyly as she notices the camera caught her "wild side."



Junior Dan Quiterio chills with the Ludlow Lion head at Homecoming.



Sophomore Mia Cabana stated, "I thought it was cool [being nominated] because we need people in our school who have school spirit. I was proud to be put in the same category as people like Tiffany [Evans] and Melissa [Leal]." During her two years at Ludlow High School, Mia has participated in cheerleading, band, basketball, and Student Council. She has also managed LHS's baseball team, is vice president of the Class of 2000, and founded the LHS Public Access Crew.



Freshman Lisete Simoes stated, "I was surprised, honored, and happy. I never imagined I would be a nominee." During her first year at Ludlow High School Lisete has been President of her class, manager of the basketball team, and a participant on the volleyball team.



Sean Riopel takes a break from the excitement Homecoming 1997.

Melissa Davis shies away as John Reilly tries to tickle her.







# Underclassmen



The junior class officers were President Heather Fonseca, Vice-President Jason Juliano, Secretary Lindsay Palkins, and Treasurer Nancy Almeida.

The sophomore class officers were President Matt Leal, Vice-President Mia Cabana, Secretary Steve Karalekas, and Treasurer Shruti Zulkarni.

The freshmen class officers were President Lisete Simoes, Vice-President Joanne Wozniak, Secretary Melissa Jorge, and Treasurer Jen Jorge.

Justin Colby is wearing a knit cap. Although the underclassmen were shy and quite, their clothes were loud and made quite a statement!

DeCaro and David Stinson relax against the wall before A-block. If the A-block teacher was late, a pile of bags and bodies would accumulate outside the locked door.



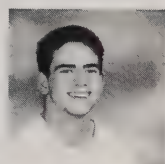
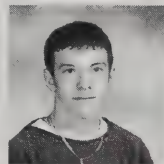


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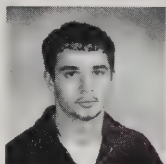
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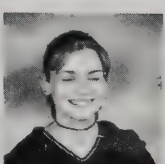
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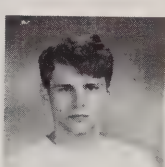
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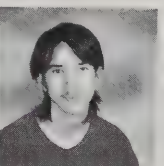
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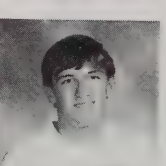
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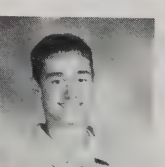
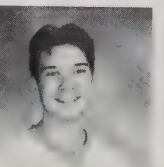
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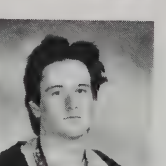
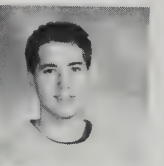
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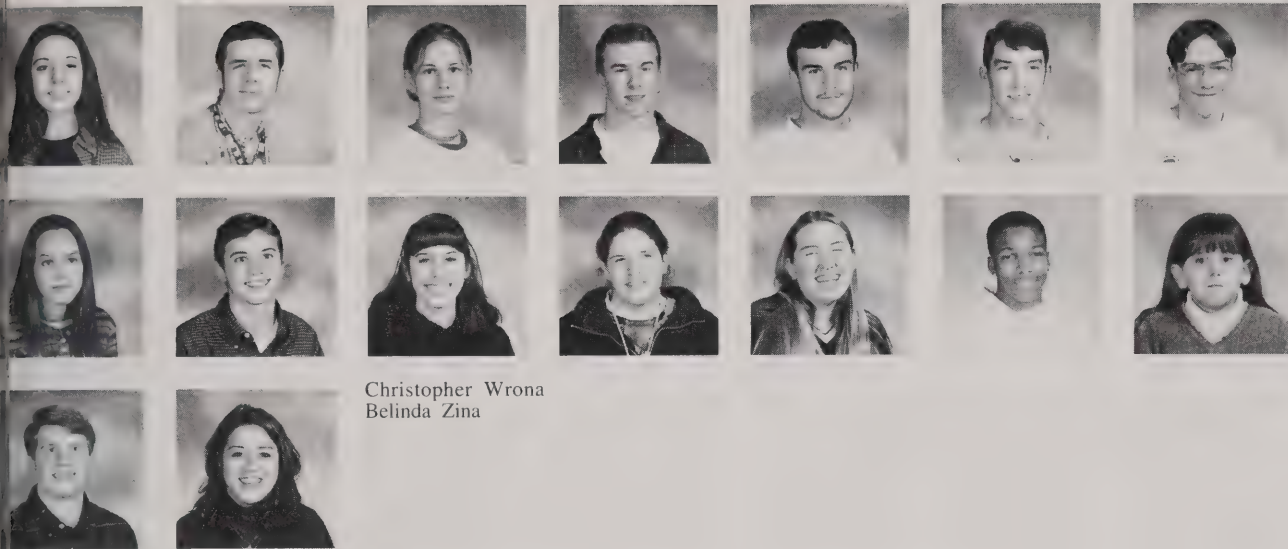


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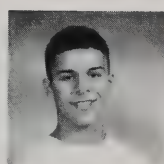
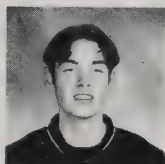
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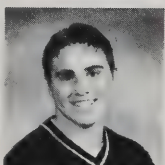


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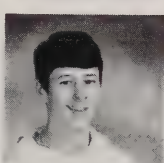
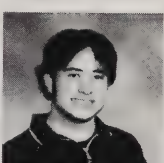
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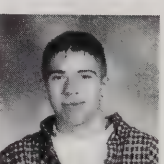
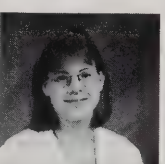
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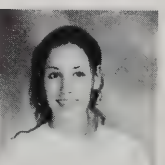
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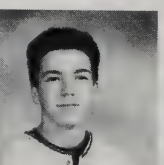
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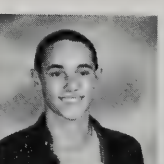
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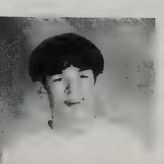
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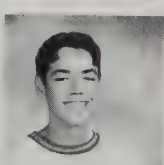
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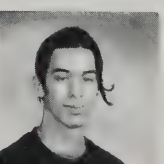
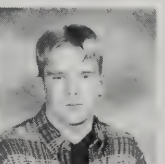
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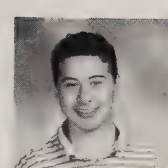
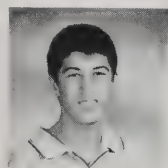
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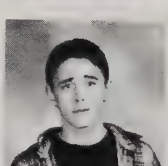
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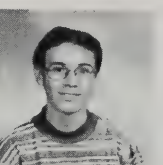
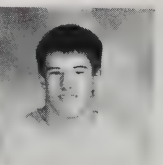
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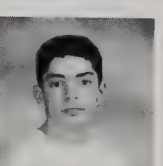
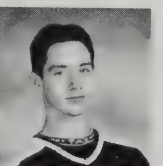
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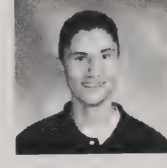
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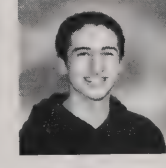
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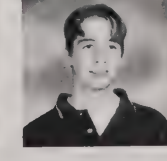
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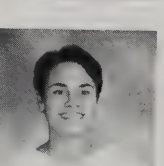
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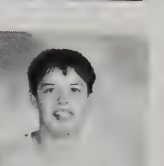
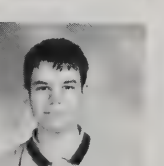
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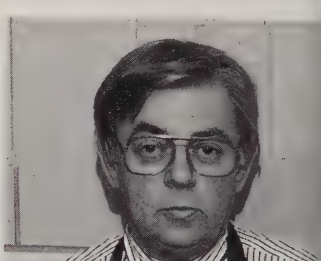
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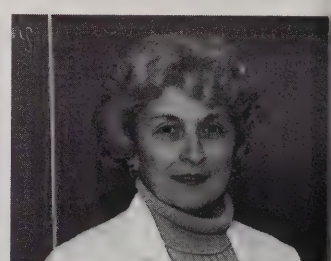
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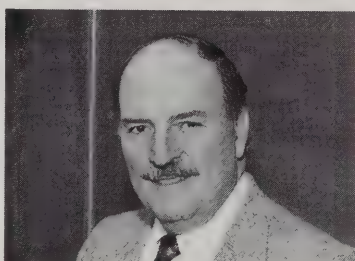
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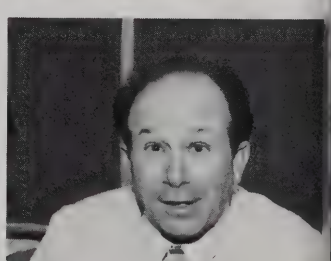
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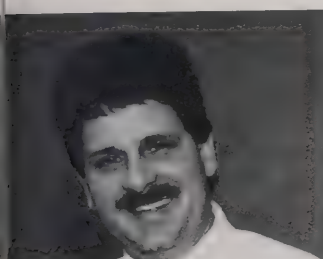




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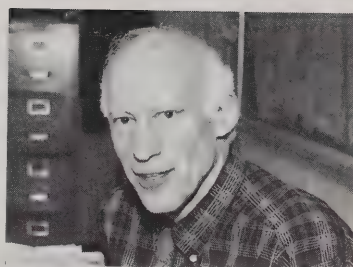
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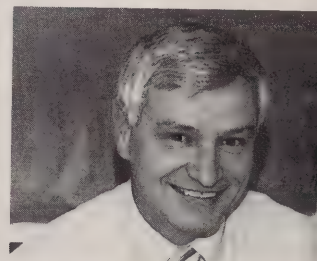
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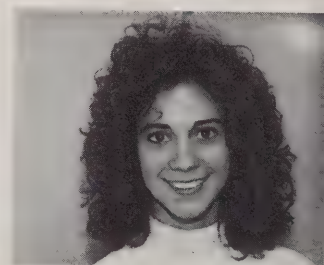
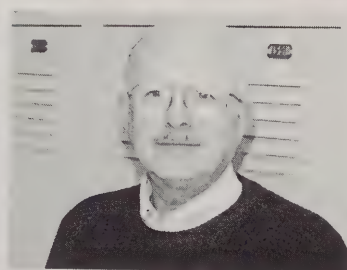
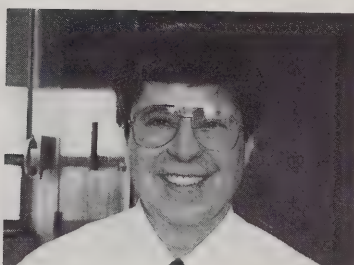
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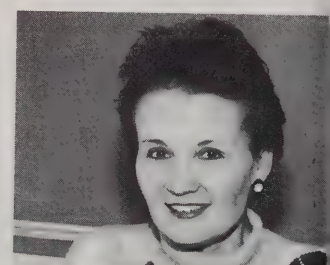
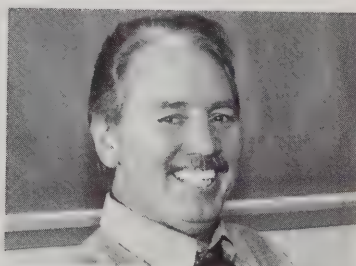
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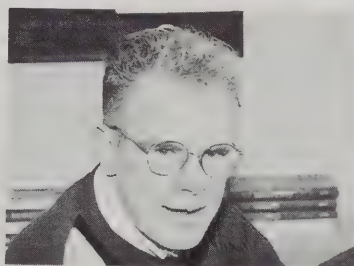
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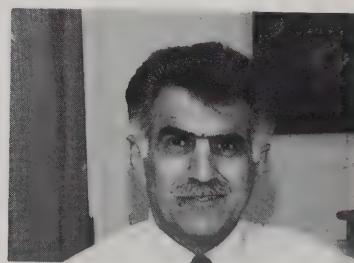
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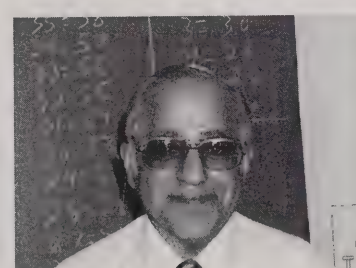
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# Moments

*there were moments when I could feel  
every delight your faces brought me.  
your words echoed in autumn winds  
and freeze tag was forever.*

*moments when time did not fly,  
but crawled instead.*

*tides of kool-aid on hot Sundays-  
jungle gyms and swing sets-  
wooden forts on hidden paths-  
mosquito bite nights-  
unhurried seasons.*

*But today is not the same.  
an obliteration of yesterday  
lies in every camera flash.  
a goodbye is given and  
received in every embrace.  
a farewell rises and  
falls in every kiss.*

*I'll miss you when I am gone.  
I'll miss the crawling moments  
that have come to rest  
as edges of dreams.  
I'll miss the delight your faces  
brought me.*

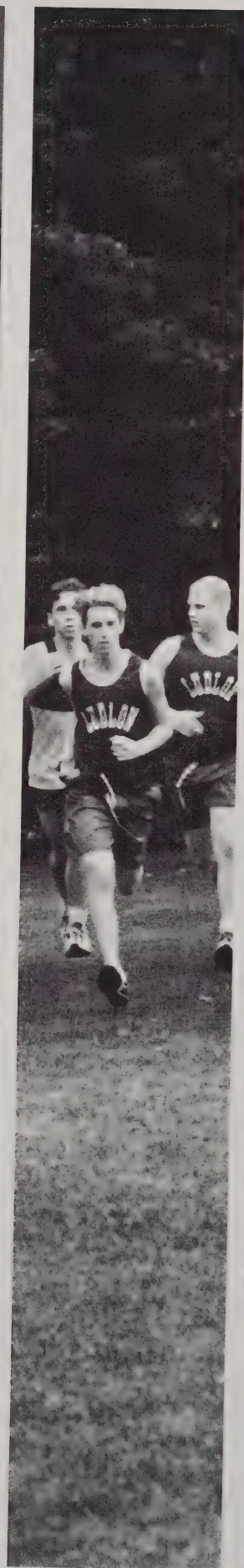
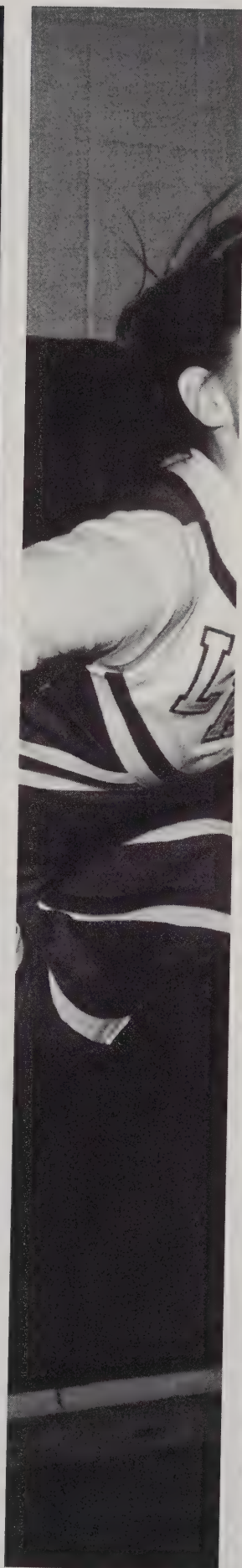
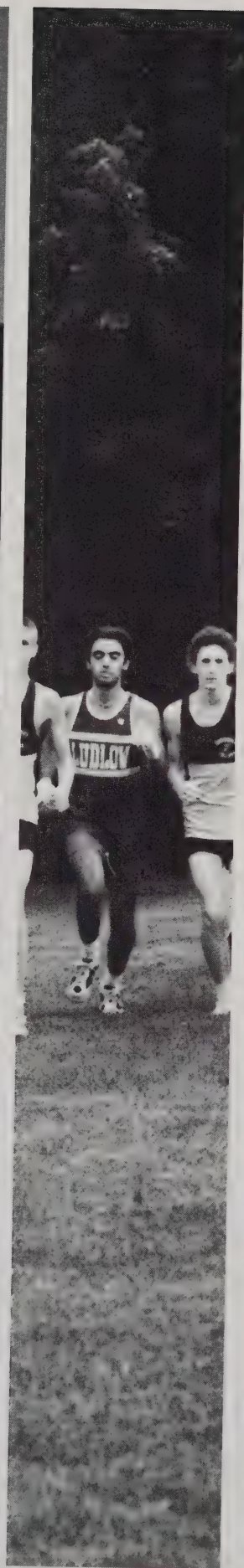
*Diolinda Diaz  
May 17, 1998*
















# Sports



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*Yvonne* Maksymiw impresses the fans with her flexibility and spirit. Most of the cheerleading squad was made up of underclassmen.

*Chris* takes endurance to run three miles non-stop in rough terrain; however, the cross-country team had its best record ever. With talented runners like Nathan Dolley and Chris Priore, Ludlow was the team to beat.

*A lot can be said about the value of athletics to a young person's life, and the role sports can play in the creation of unity and school spirit. Some believe too much emphasis is placed on athletics; others maintain athletes contribute significantly to school life.*

*Sports may develop traits such as self-control and discipline, but when the Lions are out on the field or in the gym, they break all boundaries. In 1998, some of our stars broke records.*



# BURSTING PAST

## Cross Country

# OPPONENTS

This year, the boys' and girls' cross-country teams, both coached by Philip Dalessio and Mr. Joe Szlosek, made great strides and exceeded all expectations despite small numbers. The five member girls' team finished with a record of six wins and six losses, claiming the best girls' record in LHS history. The boys' team, with seven seniors, led the team to victory with a record of eight wins and four losses. Both teams had to work really hard to achieve their goals and would run for miles each day, attend weekend meets, and go to extra weekend practices. Of course, the teams also knew how to have some fun. The boys would always play hackey-sack before meets and the girls would always wear glitter on their eyelids for good luck. The team members were all friends and created lasting memories they hope will not fade any time soon.

Chris Priore uses all his strength for his final sprint across the finish line.



<i>Q/B</i>		<i>Q/B</i>
<i>Us</i>	<i>Opponent</i>	<i>Them</i>
41/20	Palmer	21/45
30/18	Belchertown	27/42
31/40	Southwick	26/40
26/24	Central	29/24
18/41	Wickham	39/41
31/24	Mohawk	24/36
31/24	H. Catholic	24/36
29/50	Gateway	27/15
29/50	Frontier	27/15
31/19	Athol	24/36
31/19	Pioneer	24/36
29/47	Dean	29/17
29/47	Hampshire	29/17
50/16	Monson	15/19



Varsity Front: Kate Fiedler, Renee Gagne, Shruti Kulkarni, Kori Binette, Katie Knowles, Amena Assaf, Mic Carl Parylak, Justin Dolley, Gregory Gaudreau, Philip Surprenant, David Moran, Dario Camacho, D. Palmerean, Tim Pazos, Colby Moran. Back: Mr. Joseph Szlosek, Paulo Barroso, Ryan Chaves, Joe Aniolow, Chris Priore, Nate Dolley, Scott Manchester, Nelson Felix, Todd Kiel, Mr. Phil Dalessio.



Kate Fiedler, Shruti Kulkarni, Katie Knowles, and Renee Gagne try to sprint ahead of their opponents and stride for their next victory.

*"I loved running.  
I felt so free."  
Kori Binette '00*



Nate Dolley



Ryan Chaves



Joe Aniolowski



Scott Manchester



Paulo Barroso



Nelson Felix



Chris Priore



tain, senior Sarah Lewison makes a set to allow teammate to kill the ball.



# BREAKING NEW Girls' Volleyball GROUND

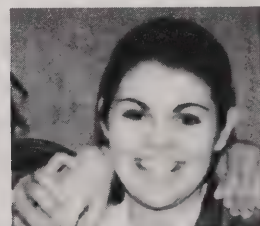
**M**aking history this year, the mighty Lions put the first post-season tournament victory into the record books. Ludlow had a roaring 3-1 victory over the visiting Westfield Bombers. The season ended in the quarter-finals against a strong Amherst team, but the team made history nonetheless.

Competing for the Western Mass. title for only the second year, the team accomplished many challenges including making the Western Mass. tournament for the first time.

Us	Opponent	Them
2,2	W. Springfield	0,1
2,2	Holyoke	0,0
2,2	E. Longmeadow	1,1
2,2	Commerce	0,0
2,1	Minnechaug	1,2
0,2	Central	2,1
0,2	Putnam	2,0
1,0	Dean Tech.	2,2
1,1	Westfield	2,2



**Junior Varsity** Front: Jennifer Jorge, Melissa Jorge, Joanne Wozniak, Lisete Simoes, Patricia Norris. Middle: Ms. Kristi Horn, Katelyn Thompson, Danielle Garbarino, Jessica Piesz, Ashley Ceberek, Lora Alves. Back: Ms. Lisa Mann, Kristin Fortune, Jessica Moore, Kimberly Askew, Sue Ann Jessmer, Danielle LaBelle-Boucher, Alison Barron, Mr. Fred Glanville, Allison Skura.



Tiffany Evans



Stacey Downing



Sarah Lewison



Jameelia Abdullah



**Varsity** Front: Jameelia Abdullah, Stacey Downing, Tiffany Evans, Sarah Lewison. Middle: Ms. Lisa Mann, Danielle Maruca, Bobbi-Lynn Gregory, Sumaiya Abdullah, Allison Skura. Back: Mr. Miles Tipton, Elaine Chrzan, Lindsay Gauthier, Lisa Wetherell, Anne Forcum, Ms. Kristi Horn, Mr. Fred Glanville.



# BREAKING PAR

Chris Courchesne double checks for accuracy before he finishes the hole.

**M**r. Lawrence Holdsworth handed over his coaching position to Mr. Frank Murray. The change of golf to a fall sport from a spring sport caused a loss of promising senior golfers to soccer.

Seniors Dave Kwajewski and Derek Filipe tried their best at leading the team, but the lack of more upperclassmen and experienced players resulted in a disappointing record.

Coach Murray believes the underclassmen have promise and will improve in future years. The strength of the team was its dedication to the sport and its enthusiasm and spirit.



<u>Us</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Won</u>
10	W. Springfield	8
12	Longmeadow	6
12	Amherst	6
12	Chicopee	6
14.5	Chic. Comp.	3.5
11.5	Agawam	6.5
9.5	S. Hadley	8.5
10	Minnechaug	8
16.5	E. Longmeadow	1.5
10	S. Hadley	8
10	Longmeadow	8
16.5	Chicopee	1.5
9	Chic. Comp.	9
2.5	Amherst	5.5
10.5	E. Longmeadow	7.5
14	Agawam	4
6	Minnechaug	10

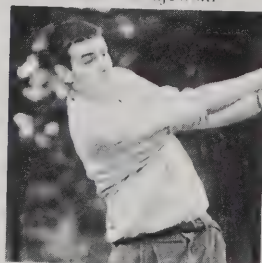


Varsity Front: Steven Karalekas, Luis Texeira, Joseph Boulanger.

Back: David Kwajewski, Andrew Fernandes, Mr. Frank Murray, Michael Robar, Christopher Courchesne



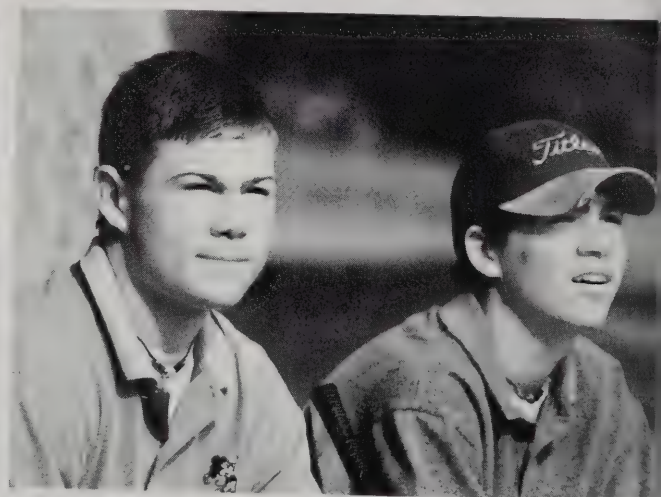
David Kwajewski



Derek Filipe



Derek Filipe chips the ball onto the green.



Dave Kwajewski and Steve Karalekas look on as a teammate tees off.



Derek Venne tackles down the opposing player.



# BUSTING THROUGH Football

Ludlow's football team had many accomplishments this year including an intense victory over Palmer at the 50th Thanksgiving Day game. Against the odds, the team proved it was the better of two teams beating Palmer by a score of 21-6.

Stephen Bradley received the Thanksgiving Day game award, Nelson Tereso received the MVP award, Nick Saloio received the defense award, and Ray Moorhouse received the Coach's award.

The JV team had a very successful season with a record of 5-0-2. Jeremy James received the MVP award.



**Varsity Front:** Doug Lawrence, Rui Serrazina, Nick Saloio, Billy Lengieza, Andrew Jerry, Nelson Tereso, Ray Moorhouse, Derek Booth, Brian Fontaine, Paulo Afonso. **Second:** Mike King, Evan Hushing, Rich Bradway, Rob Vice, Rich Korbel, John Harens, Steve Bradley, Harley Langford, Sean Riopel, Brian Priore, Cliff Mateus, Matt Coddling, Abimael Mestre. **Third:** Coach Bo Pzeniczny, Coach Carl Ericksberg, Manny Goncalves, Dmitry Pedenyuk, Rich Ordynowicz, Scott Barrus, Jeremy James, Bill Labelle-Boucher, Derek Venne, Mike Murray, Matt Tetreault, Joe Iwasinski, Greg Haney, Nate Grey, Eric Gove, Coach Jeff Peterson, Coach Timothy Brillo. **Back:** Sean Houlihan, Alexei Vologzhanina, Rob Byrne, Leo Picuch, Jake Eversmeyer, Matt Martin, Rick Conville, Jeff Donnelly.

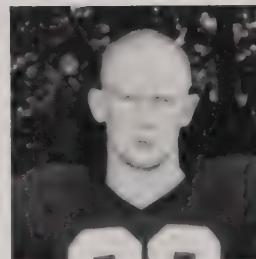
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0	Ware	36
14	Mahar	16
0	Athol	34
13	Commerce	12
14	Westfield	21
7	Turners	46
0	Frontier	21
0	Franklin	0
22	Pathfinder	6
20	Palmer	6



Derek Booth



Nelson Tereso finds a gap and rushes through defense. He was one of the star players.



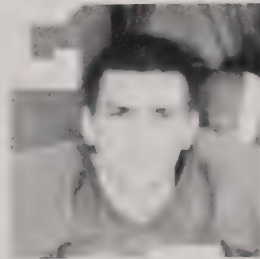
Billy Lengieza



Ray Moorhouse



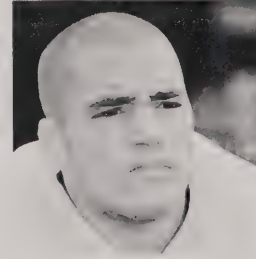
Nelson Tereso



Nick Saloio



Rui Serrazina



Andy Jerry



Sarah Davis skillfully dribbles the ball.



Julie Rickson



Melissa Goncalves



Nadia Saleh



Jennifer Leandro



**Freshman Front:** Melissa Davis, Lindsay Robillard, Alethea Lambert, Kara Williamson. **Middle:** Cristina Nascimento, Kelly Lamas, Charlene Goncalves, Amie Grimshaw, Ashley Gomes, Angela Machado. **Back:** Ana Pereira, Katie Louvitakis, Hayley Braz, Rosemary Gaudreau, Janelle Zick, Kayla Pease, Brianne Leary.



**Junior Varsity Front:** Cassandra Orszulak, Michelle Sagan, Ali Fidalgo, Melissa Santos, Jennifer Genovevo, Lindsay Calkins, Tiffa Kapinos, Laura Mornie. **Back:** Tanya Panek, Kim Sagan, Lyns Calheno, Amy Lamas, Jessica Vital, Tina Santos, Sandy Salvad, Launa Saleh, Michelle Zina, Mr. Nuno Pereira.

**Varsity Front:** Manager Melissa Leal, Stephanie Santos, Katie Liszka, Lindsay Haluch, Elizabeth Dyjak, Nicole Gebo, Sarah Davis, Jen Leandro, Angela Goncalves, Manager Shannon Robar. **Back:** Mr. Saul Chelo, Mr. James Calheno, Alissa Pereira, Tracy Rodrigues, Leana Alves, Marcy Bousquet, Melissa Dominique, Michelle Mateus, Carlee Belliveau, Nadia Saleh, Julie Rickson, Bella Soares, Mr. Mario Monsalves, Mr. Nuno Pereira.



## NO BROKEN SPIRITS

### Girls' Soccer

With one determined, returning senior Julie Rickson, the girls' varsity soccer team was first introduced at the beginning of the season as being a, "rebuilding team." With unexplainable, amazing efforts by the talented underclassmen, the Lady Lions showed everyone that they could handle the pressure by sharing the Coombs Division I Championship with the Cathedral Panthers.

Proving that the team was determined, the Lady Lions made it all the way to the Western Massachusetts finals, but fell short to the Panthers 3-1. The JV and freshman teams also had good seasons with the freshman team having an undefeated season. All three teams received the gold and silver awards for academic excellence during the soccer season, proving that they were good students both on and off the fields.

<u>Us</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Them</u>
3	Agawam	2
3	Pittsfield	3
5	Chic. Comp.	1
5	Holyoke	0
3	Cathedral	0
2	Longmeadow	0
4	Minnechaug	0
3	Lee	0
2	Westfield	0
8	Chicopee	1
1	E. Longmeadow	0
3	Holyoke	2
2	W. Springfield	1
2	Central	0
2	Longmeadow	1
0	Cathedral	2
2	W. Springfield	0



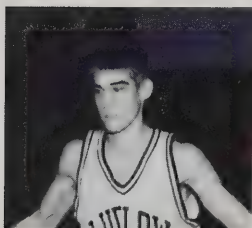


# *LHS 1998* **ATHLETICS**





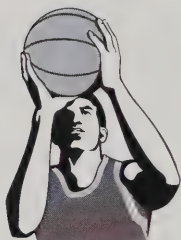
Scott Manchester



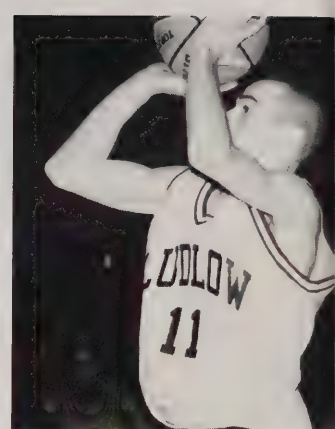
Nathan Dolley



Derek Filipe



**Varsity Front:** Ryan Gardner, Derek Filipe, Scott Manchester, Nate Dolley, Matthew Gardner, Josh Maynard. **Back:** Manager Kori Binette, Manager Renee Gagne, Coach William Kolodziey, Carlos Serrazina, Gabriel Faria, Ryan Salvador, David Gwozdz, Manager Lora Alves, Manager Alyson Maello.



Matthew Gardner sets up for a jump shot.



**Junior Varsity Front:** James Lincoln, Jonathan Dias, Nate Duquet, Richard Zina, Wesley Benware, Ryan Gardner. **Back:** Manager Renee Gagne, Manager Kori Binette, David Vooris, Brandon Zoladz, Joe Boulanger, James Deslaurier, Tomasz Karas, Coach Fred Glanville, Manager Alyson Maello, Manager Lora Alves.



**Freshman Front:** Joseph Jorge, Alex Portelada, Greg Gaudreau, Brian Cochenour, Helder Pires, Manager Nicole Chaves. **Back:** Coach Kurt Anderson, Michael Murray, Jason Devlin, William Labelle-Boucher, Frederick Glanville, Andrew Dufresne, Manager Kristin Fortune, Manager Diana Canelas.

## SHATTERING GLASS

### Boys' Basketball

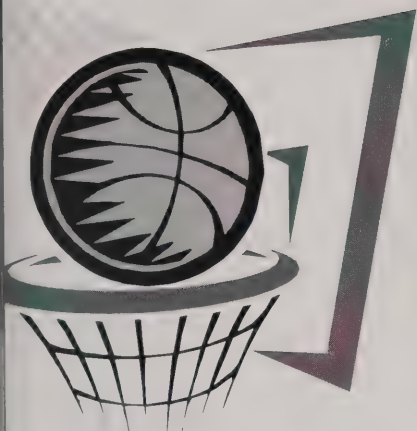
With the loss of some key seniors, it was a rebuilding year for the Lions. Despite a disappointing season, the team worked hard and kept its spirits up and came out with a few victories. With only three returning seniors, the Lions finished the season with a record of 4-11. Coached by Mr. William Kolodziey, the team was led by some great play by the three seniors: Scott Manchester, Nathan Dolley, and Derek Filipe. The team's most exciting victory was against the Minnechaug Falcons, beating them by a score of 55-54.

Throughout the season, the team was supported by numerous fans and cheerleaders who kept the team's spirits up through the rough times. No matter how bad a loss the team suffered it still came out each game working hard and giving it all.

It was also a difficult year for the junior varsity and freshman squad who ended the season with a record of 1-14 and 1-9 respectively. Like the varsity squad, the teams gave 100% at each game and improved each game.

Us	Opponent	Them
54	Agawam	79
60	Pathfinder	51
58	Frontier	75
77	Putnam	71
49	Cathedral	93
55	Chicopee	96
62	Pathfinder	43
55	Minnechaug	54
48	Greenfield	97
40	Westfield	71
50	Chic. Comp.	79
29	Central	101
50	W. Springfield	65
35	Minnechaug	56





**Varsity Front:** Stephanie Santos, Tiffany Kapinos, Sarah Vitorino, Heather Fonseca, Marcy Bousquet, **Middle:** Brittany Boduch, Jen Prior, Carlee Belliveau, Lindsay Gauthier, **Back:** Manager Donna Chrzan, Elaine Chrzan, Lisa Wetherell, Allison Skura, Coach Tim Brillo.



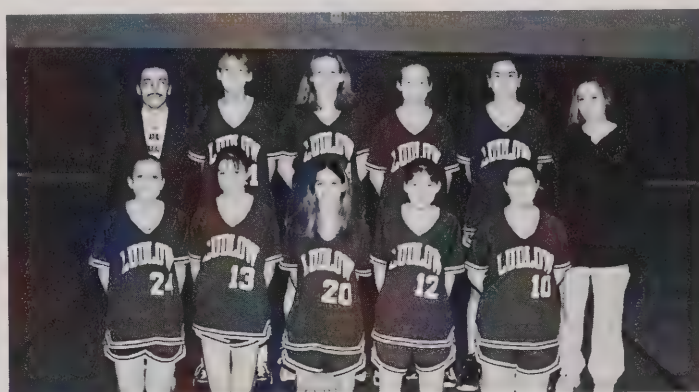
Allison Skura



Brittany Boduch



**JV Front:** Nicole Gebo, Katie Louvitakis, Lindsay Haluch, Jessica Piesz, Kara Williamson, **Back:** Kelly Lamas, Lisete Simoes, Tina Santos, Alethea Lambert, Ash Davis, Coach Bob Fuqua.



**Freshman Front:** Natalie Barroso, Katilyn Gaudreau, Kara Michon, Ashley Ceberek, Katelyn Thompson, **Back:** Coach J.C. Fernandes, Lindsay Robillard, Eileen Dunfield, Danielle Labelle-Boucher, Rosemary Gaudreau, Valerie Cave.

pts	Opponent	Them
16	Monson	42
31	E. Longmeadow	70
42	S. Hadley	60
24	H. Catholic	35
38	Southwick	55
38	Gateway	50
54	Belchertown	43
34	Palmer	56
32	Lee	71
43	Monson	52
32	E. Longmeadow	59
34	Hampshire	62
34	S. Hadley	60
30	H. Catholic	48
36	Southwick	49
37	Gateway	42
50	Belchertown	72
44	Hampshire	54
39	Palmer	44

## BREAKING RECORDS

### Girls' Basketball

It was a rebuilding year for the Lions under first year coach Timothy Brillo. The girls' basketball team had a tough year with a record of 1-18 but learned tremendously through the coaching of Brillo.

The only returning player to the squad, Lindsay Gauthier, was a key player for the team hitting many 3-pointers. Junior Lisa Wetherell also had an outstanding season leading the team in rebounding, which resulted in many fast breaks that created scoring opportunities for the team, whose strength was quickness.

Breaking records this year was the JV squad. With many young players on the team, it went undefeated with a record of 12-0 for the first time in girls' basketball history. The freshman team had a good season also with a record of 5-3. With these talented newcomers, the future of girls' basketball looks bright.



# BREAKING THE ICE

## Hockey

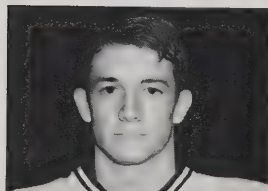
**A**lthough losing many great players, the varsity hockey team demonstrated domination throughout the season. Having a 14-0-1 record going into the tournament, the team fell short in the Western Mass quarterfinals, losing to West Springfield ( the team that the Lions tied early in the season). The score was 2-5.

Leadership came from seniors Ben Michalski and Ryan Pease. Experienced underclassmen including Eddie Urban and Mike Almeida showed outstanding efforts on the team and will surely lead next year's team to victory.

Chris Courchesne concentrates on the puck as Jason Pease tries to block the opponent's shot.



<u>Us</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Them</u>
7	Longmeadow	5
6	Minnechaug	1
8	Holyoke	1
20	Chicopee	4
8	Amherst	1
13	Taunton	1
13	S. Hadley	0
11	Greenfield	0
16	St. Joseph's	1
4	West Springfield	4
3	Agawam	1
7	Westfield	4
2	Longmeadow	1
9	E. Longmeadow	1
2	West Springfield	5



Ryan Pease



Ben Michalski



**Varsity Front:** Lenny Mosca, Mike Kessler, Jeff Braz, Todd Kiel, Nate Dubosh, Ryan Pease, Chris Courchesne, Ben Michalski, C Haney, Dustin Gray, Matt Condon. **Back:** Coach Richard Malek, Manager Krystal Soja, Manager Gina Evans, Kim Leits, Jeff Ur Rob Mathias, Jay Pease, Carlos Chaves, Matt Glista, Jon Witowski, Eddie Fuller, Eddie Urban, Mike Almeida, Mike Linton, Manager M Braska, Manager Crystal Riopelle, Assistant Coach Al Tomlinson, Assistant Coach Tony Costa.



n Whiting concentrates on his next stride.



# BREAKING FREE

## *Skiing*

**A**lthough the ski team was a young, inexperienced team, the athletes enjoyed themselves on the slopes as it was a fun learning experience for many of them.

Young talent, including first year skier Steve Karalekas, did very well. He was this year's top skier on the team, and he was a very skillful and fierce competitor.

Dessire Vitorino slices through the flags in her journey towards the finish line.



*"I love the feeling I get when I race down the mountain."  
-Tracy Casimiro '98*



Ski Coach John Barlow, Evan Whiting, Justin Silva, Leah Dyjak, Dessire Vitorino, Gina Scagliarini.



Tracy Casimiro



# BREAKING HEADLOCKS

## Wrestling

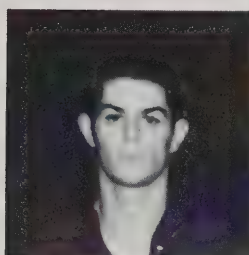
Senior Nick Saloio pins the opposing player

It was another successful year for Coach Peterson's wrestling team. The team won the league title with an undefeated record. They then received second place in the Western Mass. tournament.

Seniors Derek Booth and Jeff Bernard won Division I All-State honors. Bernard took the school record for most wins in a season, posting 28 victories. In three out of four tournaments Bernard participated in he won his 160 weight class. He ended his career with a fifth place finish at the state tournament.

With many promising young wrestlers, including sophomore Derek Venne, and an enthusiastic coach, the team's future still looks bright.

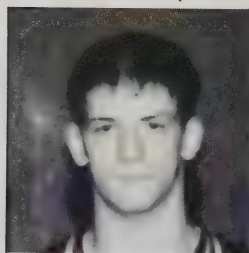
Scott Barrus puts a headlock on his opponent.



Steve Gawronski



Andrew Jerry



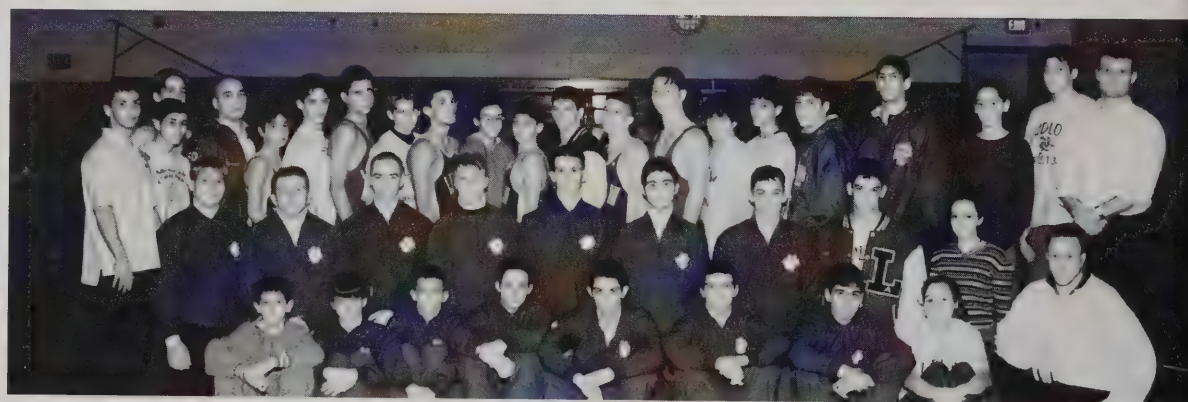
Tony Angelo



Nick Saloio



Steve Petig



**Varsity Front:** Ivan Aguilar, Dan Saunders, Jay Coddling, Joe Aniolowski, Steve Gawronski, Nick Saloio, Paulo Barroso, Manager Linc Calkins, Assistant Coach Wayne Kapinos. **Middle:** Leo Piecuch, Dmitry Privedenyuk, Derek Booth, Steve Bradley, Jeff Bernard, Antaya, Scott Barrus, Rob Vice, Manager Alicia Fidalgo. **Back:** Assistant Coach Alan Gates, Gabriel Joao, Richard Machado, And Jarry, Derek Rodrigues, Ethan Emirzian, Carlos Pereira, Dennis Carroll, Camilo Gaviria, Marc Gomes, Paulo Faria, Tony Angelo, Mic Angelo, Justin Bruneau, Dave Kenny, Evan Hiersche, Filipe Barroso, Derek Venne, Steve Petig, Manager Jen Bailey, Dave Perham, Co Jeff Peterson.



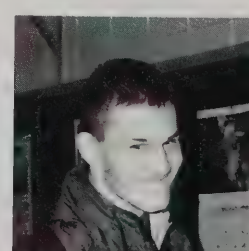
Paulo Barroso



Joe Aniolowski



Derek Booth



Jeff Bernard

Us	Opponent	The
36	West Springfield	3
42	Agawam	3
40	Longmeadow	3
42	Amherst	1
57	Westfield	
27	Bethlehem	3
39	Mt. Hermon	3
24	Shenendoah	4
48	Cathedral	2
52	Putnam	1
49	Minnechaug	1
27	Southwick	3
48	Northampton	1
41	Central	2



di Lawrence cheers on the football team.



h St. Pierre, Brandi Lawrence, and Erin Fuller  
y their strength and agility as they hoist Jolene  
in into the air at halftime.

# BURSTING WITH *Cheerleading* ENERGY

**T**he Ludlow cheerleaders had many accomplishments this year including holding a successful PVIAC cheerleading competition. Despite not winning any competitions, the girls were still full of energy and spirit as they stood by the sports teams through the fall and winter seasons.

The team learned a lot of new, exciting cheers, dances, and acrobatics, that excited crowds and helped keep the spirits of teams up through both the rough and joyous times during the season.

Jen Mathess is tossed into the air at half-time.

The squad cheers on the basketball team in hopes of sparking the team to a rally and a victory.



**Varsity Squad Front:** Jen Mathess, Jolene Galvin. **Middle:** Heather O'Connell, Erin Fuller, Lauren Auffrey, Danielle Garbarino, Sarah Russell. **Back:** Assistant Coach Kathy Lawrence, Jocelyn Maksymiw, Brandi Lawrence, Coach Rebecca Uhler.



# BREAKING A SWEAT

## Boys' Track

The boys' track team improved greatly individually. The team was led by two new coaches, Miss Rebecca Uhler and Mr. David Larrivee. Many capitalized on the coaches' expertise. Uhler teaches physical education and coaches cheerleading, and Larrivee had been a coach in the past and is an accomplished runner. Uhler was the first female coach of a male team at Ludlow High.

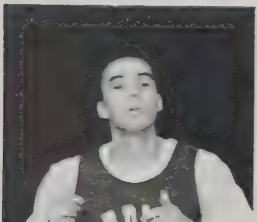
Senior Chris Priore was a great asset to the team in distance events, coming in third in the mile during Western Mass. Sophomore Richard Bradway performed the high jump very well. His efforts brought him to the states. Despite losing many players and having a very small team this year, the athletes did very well individually.



Nate Dolley



Bob Wine



Nelson Felix



Chris Priore



Scott Manchester

Rob Vice uses all of his strength to release the discus.



**Varsity** Front: Bob Wine, Nate Dolley, Nelson Felix, Chris Priore. Middle: Dario Camacho, Carl Binette, Chris Santucci, Justin Dolley. Back: Coach Rebecca Uhler, Richard Bradway, Eric Gove, Manuel Goncalves, Dan Santos, Assistant Coach David Larrivee.

Scott Manchester sprints before using all of his speed and power to throw the javelin.

Dario Camacho concentrates on jumping the hurdle.



<u>Us</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Them</u>
36	Southwick	107
65	S. Hadley	71
28	Amherst	117
34	Palmer	102
21	Chicopee	115
43	Northampton	100
63	Holyoke Cath.	73
56	Monson	80
65	E. Longmeadow	78





Melanie Hastings tries not to hit the bar during her jump.



# SHATTERED *Girls' Track* RECORDS

The team was disappointingly small; however, the girls showed outstanding individual efforts. Many of the Lady Lions went on to the PVIAC championships and later on to the Western Mass championship, but sophomore Carlee Belliveau made it to the state championships for the second straight year. She broke her own record and school record in the discus throw with 106.7 feet at the states and came in ninth place. Katie Louvitakis had an outstanding freshman year breaking the 400m school record her first time running it, and junior Melanie Hastings showed vast improvement on the high jump, reaching 5'0" and coming in sixth place at Western Mass.

Katie Louvitakis hands off to Sandy Salvador in the 4x100 relay.



<u>Us</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Them</u>
57	Southwick	79
60	S. Hadley	76
43	Palmer	93
69	Chicopee	67
65	Holyoke	70
83	Monson	53
90	Holyoke Cath.	45
74	E. Longmeadow	67



Julie Rickson



Nadia Saleh



Melissa Kulas



Melissa Goncalves



Carly Knowles



Varsity Front: Renee Gagne, Jenn Germain, Amena Assaf, Kori Binette, Katie Knowles, Tina Palatino. Second: Melissa Goncalves, Heather Fonseca, Amy Pelletier, Julie Rickson, Melissa Kulas, Nadia Saleh, Tiffany Kapinos. Third: Shruti Kulkarni, Angela Machado, Katie Louvitakis, Tina Santos, Brandi Lawrence, Carlee Belliveau, Carly Knowles, Rosemary Gaudreau. Back: Coach Phil Dalessio, Assistant Coach Joseph Szlosek, Alicia Fidalgo, Kim Sagan, Laura Momnie, Michelle Sagan, Susan Machado, Sandy Salvador, Lynsey Palmeno.



Jen Germain paces herself during the two mile run.

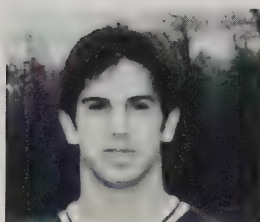




Joe Lalli



Steve Gawronski



Aaron Saunders



Mike Martin



Dave Kwajewski



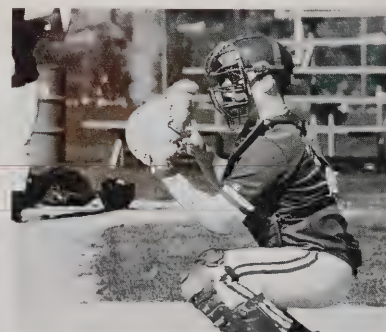
**Freshman Front:** Doug Lawrence, Brian Cochenour, Greg Haney, Justin Pestana, **Middle:** Greg King, Greg Perreault, Sean Knox, Dan Nichols, Scott Kimball, **Back:** Chris Fernandes, Brian DaSilva, Bill Labelle-Boucher, Anthony Bigda, Coach Jonathon Cavallo.



**Junior Varsity Front:** Cliff Mateus, Jay Coddling, Dan Saunders, Tony Santucci, **Middle:** Ryan McCarthy, Jerid Nelson, Steve Ricardi, Derek Smolinski, Mike Almeida, **Back:** Jeremy James, Nick Gates, Josh Maynard, Andy Fernandes, Brandon Zoladz, Matt Martin, Coach Martin Fanning.



**Varsity Front:** Joe Lalli, Steve Gawronski, Aaron Saunders, Mike Martin. **Middle:** Bobby Shanley, Chris Kendall, Eddie Urban, Jeff Urban, Joe Boulanger, **Back:** Coach Brian Bylicki, Jon Witowski, Ryan Salvador, Dave Gwozdz.



Catcher Greg Haney takes his stance while awaiting an upcoming pitch.

## SLIDING THROUGH Baseball

1998 was a big year for Ludlow baseball. The dedication and the loyalty of the seniors in the organization helped to bolster the spirits of members of the varsity team. Captain Dave Kwajewski even chose to attend his last baseball game rather than his senior mystery trip because he felt that his last memories of Ludlow baseball were so valuable.

The JV team also added to this optimism with an undefeated league season. As Coach Martin Fanning said, "It's too bad we don't have a tournament!"

Between the two teams there were many exciting moments, such as the close games against West Springfield and Northampton for the varsity players, and a memorable grand slam hit by Jay Coddling during the last game of the season against Palmer. The tenacious defense of the JV team, combined with spellbinding offense made it a season to remember.

Us	Opponent	Thon
1	Agawam	2
18	Palmer	3
6	Cathedral	10
1	Westfield	10
0	West Springfield	1
10	Central	13
3	Holyoke	7
4	Minnechaug	7
4	Chic. Comp.	8
2	Longmeadow	11
2	Amherst	11
7	South Hadley	1
0	Chicopee	7
3	Northampton	2
3	East Longmeadow	13
5	South Hadley	11
3	Chicopee	10
4	Northampton	3
4	East Longmeadow	3
11	Palmer	5





Krystal Soja



Carol Graveline



Lauren Gauthier



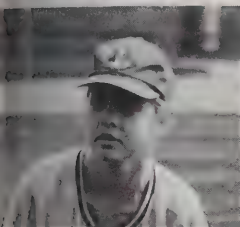
Tiffany Evans



Angela Goncalves



Amy LaBier



Donna Chrzan



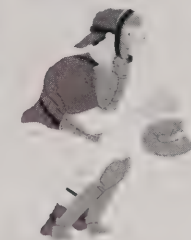
Nicole Provost and  
Stephanie Avalos



**Freshman Front:** Patricia Norris, Jessica LaBrecque, Gina Scagliarini, Cristina Nascimento, Lisete Simoes. **Back:** Manager Evan Hiersche, Manager Dennis Carroll, Ashley Ceberek, Brianne Leary, Danielle Labelle-Boucher, Erin Fuller, Jen Almeida, Coach John Barlow.



**Junior Varsity Front:** Alycia Drobot, Anne Kowalski, Stephanie Santos, Jennifer Matthes, Danielle Garbarino. **Back:** Danielle Maruca, Ann Forcum, Eileen Dunfield, Jessica Piesz, Coach Kurt Anderson.



**Varsity Front:** Jen Jolivet, Tiffany Evans, Lauren Gauthier, Amy LaBier, Nicole Provost. **Middle:** Carol Graveline, Angela Goncalves, Stephanie Avalos, Krystal Soja. **Back:** Coach Susan Stachelek, Donna Chrzan, Lindsay Gauthier, Elaine Chrzan, Manager Kristen Fioravanti.

<u>Us</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Then</u>
2	Palmer	11
7	Minnechaug	3
5	Longmeadow	6
20	East Longmeadow	3
8	Amherst	19
1	Westfield	18
1	West Springfield	4
9	Northampton	8
3	Agawam	7
22	South Hadley	21
5	Cathedral	13
11	Chicopee	3
17	Central	6
9	Chicopee Comp.	8
10	Chicopee	5
10	Holyoke	5
10	Chicopee Comp.	5
10	Holyoke	5
6	Central	5

## SMASHING OPPONENTS

### Softball

This year's softball team was a real success. With nine seniors on the team, the team was able to win its the league championship. The team broke school records and made it to the Western Mass. tournament before losing to Cathedral.

Coached by Ms. Susan Stachelek, throughout the season the girls played with confidence and teamwork, which allowed them to earn a record of 12-7 and the league championship. The team was picked at the beginning of the season by the *Sunday Republican* to win the league and the lived up to its expectations.



# OUT OF BOUNDS

## Boys' Volleyball

Despite a disappointing, inexperienced season, the boys' volleyball team had some competitive matches. Although the team did not make the tournament, the Lions had some key moments throughout the season. Great efforts were made by senior captain Nelson Camacho as he used his setting skills to lead the team to victories. Senior newcomers Derek Filipe and Ben Lemek showed hidden talent towards the end of the season. Strong key underclassmen showed talent that will help bring next year's squad to victory.

Chris Wells gets ready to set the ball while Ben L. looks on.



<u>Us</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Them</u>
2	Central	1
2	Putnam	0
2	Commerce	1
2	Westfield	0
2	West Springfield	1
2	Dean Voc.	1
2	E. Longmeadow	0
2	Holyoke	1
2	Pioneer	0
2	Minnechaug	0
2	Central	0
2	Putnam	0
2	Commerce	0
2	Westfield	0
2	West Springfield	1
2	Dean Voc.	0
2	E. Longmeadow	0
2	Science Tech	0
2	Minnechaug	1



Varsity Front: Jason Mancuso, Nicholas Axiotis, Paulo Afonso, Paulo Faria, Brian Rogowski, Matthew Gulbrandsen. Middle: Frederick Glanville, Derek Filipe, Mike Santos, Carlos Juliano, Chris Wells, Jeff Rodrigues, Aderito Pires. Back: Manager Bobbi-Lynn Gregory, Jordan Glanville, Coach Fred Glanville, Ben Lemek, Vincent Porfirio, Nelson Camacho, Manager Stacey Downing, Assistant Coach George Rosa, Manager Lora Alves.



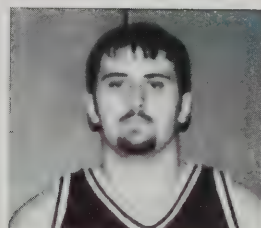
Nelson Camacho



Derek Filipe



Jeff Rodrigues goes to the net in preparation for a spike.



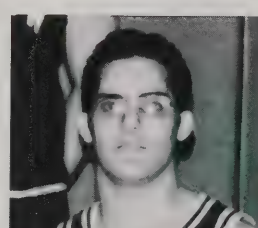
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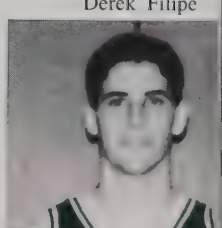
Mike Santos



Chris Wells



Carlos Juliano



Ben Lemek



# SLICING AND *Tennis* DEUCING

Under first year boys' coach Mr. Bob Fuqua, and veteran girls' coach Mr. John Carlin, the tennis teams were able to listen to new ideas and the wisdom of an experienced coach who has been around the game for years. The girls' team made to the Western Mass. quarterfinals with a record of 9-7. Senior Devyn Blais made a fine showing in Western Mass. at first singles. The boys' team was not so successful with a record of 5-9. It was a young team this year and with all the players returning to the squad the outlook for next year looks strong.



Devyn Blais



Devyn Blais relaxes on the court before a match.

Adam Kulas gets ready for an overhead volley.



<i>G/B</i>	<i>Opponent</i>	<i>G/B</i>
<u>Us</u>		<u>Them</u>
3/4	Westfield	2/1
5/5	Chicopee	0/0
3/1	Chicopee Comp	2/4
4/3	Agawam	1/2
5/-	Palmer	0/-
4/4	Central	1/1
2/0	Northampton	3/5
1/2	West Springfield	4/3
0/2	Amherst	5/3
1/0	Longmeadow	4/5
3/1	Minnechaug	2/4
1/2	Holyoke	4/3
3/5	S. Hadley	2/0
1/2	Cathedral	4/3
2/1	E. Longmeadow	3/4



**Varsity Front:** Manuel Goncalves, Mark Bento, Adam Kulas. **Middle:** John Dias, Helder Pires, Joe Goncalves, Justin Rodrigo. **Back:** Manager Cynthia Lambert, Mark Oliveira, Jorge Fonseca, Ricardo Santos, Coach Bob Fuqua.



**Varsity Front:** Allison Herchel, Kelly Rosa, Jen Genovevo, Michelle Zina, Joanne Wozniak. **Middle:** Suzette Batista, Cristina Carreira, Lindsay Robillard, Jill Krystofik, Melissa Santos, Diane Fraga. **Back:** Coach John Carlin, Devyn Blais, Kara Livingston, Aldina Torrao, Lindsay Calkins.





**Varsity Front:** Kevin Psoter, Alex Carvalho, Justin Calheno, Jon Haluch, David Garcia, Ben Lemek. **Middle:** Todd Rodrigo, Mark Leandro, Justin Laramie, Eric Dann, Aaron Babinski, Joe Lalli, Mike Dorval, Carlos Sanches. **Back:** Assistant Greg Kolodziey, Assistant Coach Jack Vilaca, Dan Dias, Steve Jorge, Brian Pereira, Jorge Fonseca, Jon Witowski, Joe Goncalves, Bob Shanley, Jason Willis, Jason Martins, Coach Tony Goncalves.

<u>Us</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Them</u>
2	Minnechaug	1
2	Chicopee	0
2	Westfield	2
4	Central	0
4	Amherst	1
3	Longmeadow	1
2	W. Springfield	0
1	Cathedral	3
3	Westfield	0
8	Holyoke	0
1	Pittsfield	2
3	Chic. Comp.	3
2	Agawam	1
2	Central	1
3	Cathedral	1
4	Longmeadow	0
2	W. Springfield	0
3	Wahconah	0
4	W. Springfield	1
3	Central	0
2	Cathedral	1



**Junior Varsity Front:** Jason Chelo, Steve Jorge, Jay DaCruz. **Middle:** Dan Santos, Jay Rodrigo, Brian Pereira, John Reilly, Justin Bruneau, David Fonseca, Adam Kulas, Marco Saraiva. **Back:** Coach Greg Kolodziey, Carlos Chaves, Tim Fitzgerald, Helder Pires, Brian Ferreira, Dennis Carvalho, James Elias, Antonio Juliano.



**Freshman Front:** Chris Chelo, Brian Cochenour, Joe Jorge, Helder Pires, Mike Pio, Jamie Assaf, Dave DeSousa. **Back:** Coach Jon Cavallo, Tim Romansky, Dave Miranda, Dennis Carvalho, Scotty Afonso, Jason Devlin, Manny Goncalves, Pat Martins, Ray Cheria, Acacio Sanches, Manager Erin Labonte.



# BREAKING PAST OPPONENTS

## Boys' Soccer

Having to update the Ludlow display in the National Soccer Hall of Fame, the boys' soccer team took it a step further and not only brought home the Western Mass. championship, but also brought home the state title to soccer town.

Having 14 seniors on the team, this was the Lions' year not letting anything stop them-- not even the rain, sleet, and snow that postponed games many times. With triumphs over rival Cathedral 2-0 in the Western Mass. finals, and over Wachusett Regional 3-1 in the semi-finals, the boys came out just short of a win the next game, tying Weymouth 2-2 in the state championship.

Although the fans and the team were a bit disappointed at sharing the championship, it was a great year and the town was very proud nonetheless.



Justin Calheno tries to dodge a player.



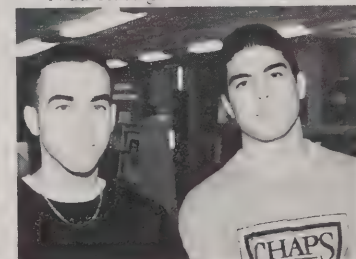
Dave Garcia, Justin Calheno, Jon Haluch, and Alex Carvalho proudly show off their trophy after winning the Western Mass. tournament.



It Takes A  
Ben Lemek and Aaron Babinski



Todd Rodrigo and Carlos Sanchez



Alex Carvalho and Dave Garcia



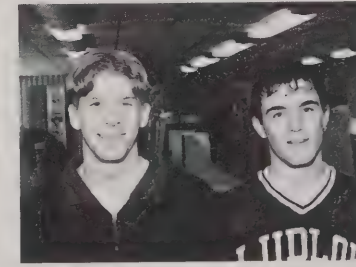
Mark Leandro and Mike Dorval



Justin Calheno and Jon Haluch



Justin Laramie and Kevin Psoter



Eric Danner and Joe Lalli



# Class Favorites

## SONGS:

*Stand By Me* (Ben E. King)  
*Push* (Matchbox 20)  
*My Heart Will Go On*  
(*Titanic* soundtrack)

## BANDS:

*Dave Matthews Band*  
*Pearl Jam*  
*Matchbox 20*

## SNACK FOODS:

*Saltine Crackers*  
*Potato Chips*  
*Peanut Butter Cups*

## MEALS:

*Chicken*  
*Pierogis and*  
*Golumpki*  
*Spaghetti*

## HOT LUNCHEONS:

*Shepherd's Pie*  
*Tacos*  
*Chicken Nuggets*

## BEVERAGES:

*Snapple*  
*Fruitopia*  
*Iced Tea*

## CANDY BARS/CANDLES:

*Snickers*  
*Swedish Fish*  
*Peanut Butter Cups*

## ICE CREAM FLAVORS:

*Chocolate Chip*  
*Vanilla*  
*Peanut Butter*

## FLOWERS:

*White Rose*  
*Dandelion*  
*Lily*

## MAGAZINES:

*Seventeen*  
*Cosmopolitan*  
*Rolling Stone*



# Class Favorites

## BOOKS:

The Scarlet Letter

The Firm

Conversations With God



## ANIMALS:

Lion

Dog

Cat

## TV SHOWS:

Dawson's Creek

Boy Meets World

X-Files

## SEASONS:

Summer

Winter

Spring

## MOVIES:

Titanic

Braveheart

Happy Gilmore



## CITIES:

Boston

Washington, D.C.

New York City

## ACTORS:

Adam Sandler

Leonardo DiCaprio

Matt Damon

## ACTRESSSES:

Julia Roberts

Minnie Driver

Sandra Bullock









# Senior Activities

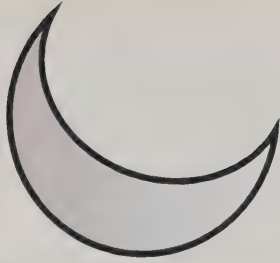


Assembly brought back a lot of memories with its slide show. The girls watch the wall and wait for photos of themselves and their friends to appear.

Show coordinators Donna Chrzan, Aaron Saunders, and Melissa Leal had their work cut out for them. They relaxed after Friday night's show at Jeff Rodrigues's house with most of the cast and crew.

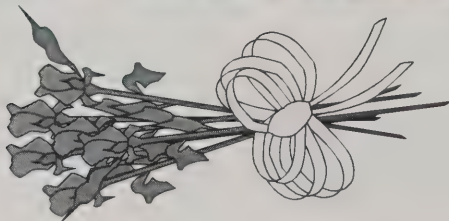
*The Class of 1998 had experienced a lot together as a group during their four years at Ludlow High School, but nothing compared to the senior show. Demanding rehearsals and shared creativity gave the class a sense of unity, something far greater than anything else it had ever felt before. This sense of unity would make its final week a special one. Class Day made some eyes well up, and Senior Assembly made most of the class weep. Graduation brought nothing but joy.*





**Junior Court** *Front:*  
Mary Butler, Jen  
Prior, Prom Princess  
Nicole Santos, Jen Swist,  
Shannon Thomson *Back:*  
Matt Glista, Jorge Fonseca,  
Prince Carlos Chaves, Bobby  
Shanley, Mike Kessler.

**T**he DJ from Kiss 95  
gave out neon glow  
necklaces and foam  
microphones. Fil Mendes lip  
synchs with his toy.



**Senior Court** *Front:*  
Diolinda Vaz, Devyn  
Blais, Prom Queen  
Donna Chrzan, Cindy Lan-  
taigne, Carol Graveline. *Back:*  
Paulo Barroso, Keith Smolinski,  
Prom King Nate Dolley, Jeff  
Bernard, Dave Hudyka.

**J**eff Bernard helps  
his date Becky  
Carrington with a pin  
on her dress. Rebecca wore a  
light blue Cinderella gown and  
looked lovely.







# One Moment In Time

The Junior Senior Prom was held at Chez Josef in Agawam on Friday, May 8th. The Greniers took photos of couples as they arrived, and keychains were given out after dinner. In addition to the main course was strawberry flambé. Black and gold were the decorations' colors.

The juniors kept hinting there would be a surprise guest. They kept the seniors guessing as to what the surprise would be. Some thought there would be a band; others believed junior Trish Maggard would sing the theme song. The surprise was a DJ from KISS 95, a popular radio station in Hartford, Connecticut.

The girls wore an array of colors ranging from traditional black to neon blue. Some gowns were silky and shiny; others were covered with sparkly sequins. Only a few boys strayed from the customary black tux. Those rebels wore white and purple tuxes.



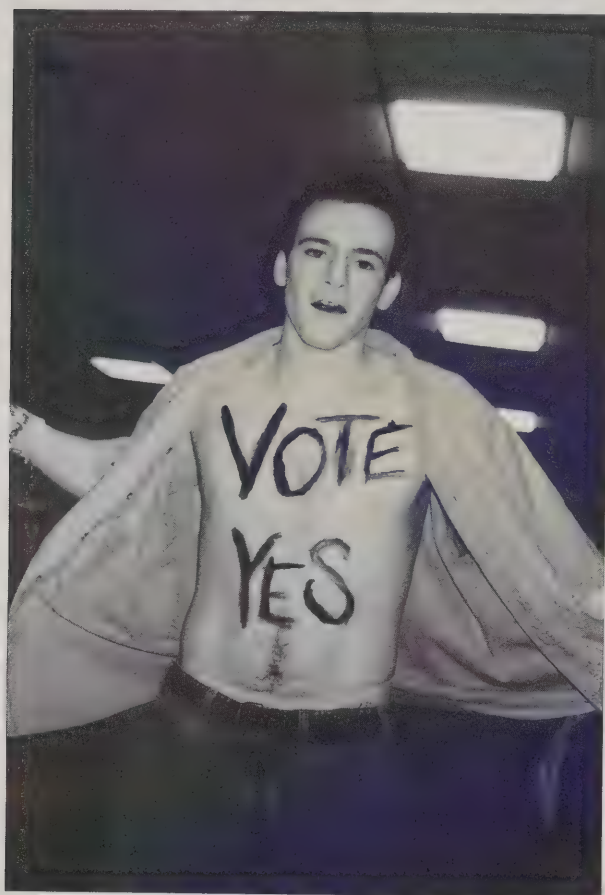
Brothers, and best friends, Dario and Nelson Camacho were usually too busy DJing events to enjoy them, but the two were able to completely participate in the prom, and had a great time.





**D**aniel Ferreira ran on stage during the "Renovation Song." The crowd went wild as he flashed them with his painted chest.

**B**ob Wine was an important part of the stage crew. He was always backstage directing the seniors and moving props.



**S**enior Show rehearsals were long and tiring. Rui Serrazina takes a rest on one of the broken auditorium seats.

**A**aron Saunders and Mike Martin show off all of their guitars. During the show, Aaron walked up and down the aisles with his cordless guitar.





# 50 Years

## And the Show Must Go On

**I**t was the 50th anniversary of the senior show, and it was filled with many senior show traditions. For some it was a good opportunity to deliver political messages such as the need for renovations. For others, like Jon Haluch and Dave Kwajewski, the "Ladies Night" skit was a chance to show off their dance skills (*"they can leave their hats on"*). Some paid tribute to their role models. For example, Tony Angelo put Trainer John on quite a pedestal when he depicted him as a ringworm-fighting, life-saving machine. And still for some it was a great time to cross dress. Jeff Rodrigues: "He's a man, baby." Aaron Saunders became Aarona, Warrior Princess. The magic act performed by Ray Moorhouse,

Jay Birch, Scott Manchester, and Tony Henriques had the audience roaring with laughter, and the LHS Update brought fond memories of Ludlow athletics.

There were a number of dance numbers. "Rhythm Nation" was led by Tina Ganhao, and "Bat Dance" was led by Cindy Lantaigne. Becky Carrington coordinated "Jellyhead", and Melissa Kulas put together "Time of My Life."

The hard work of the student coordinators, Melissa Leal, Donna Chrzan, and Aaron Saunders, combined with the creativity of all the participants, and the patience of the advisors Mr. Paulo Zina and Mrs. Robin Esteb, made the senior show the success that it was.



**J**im Hnatow performed "Creep" by Radiohead, and received a lot of applause.

**C**hris Wells smiles with his Arab friend, Ryan Chaves. He is not bothered by the anthrax Ryan is carrying.



Chris Martell helps Lilly Pereira flip over during the dance "Jellyhead."

In "Restaurant," the grumpy, old Keith Smolinski tortures his waiter Ray Moorhouse.

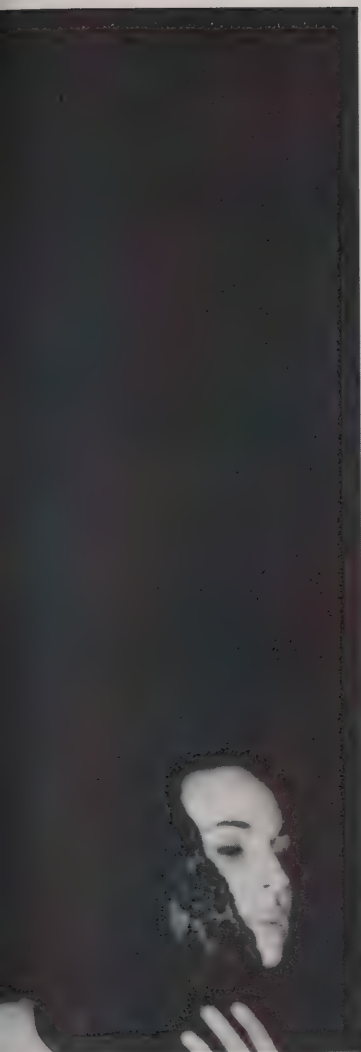


In "SpiceWorld," Melissa Goncalves is parsley. In this skit, Nelson Camacho coined the phrase, "I need SPICE!"

Tony Angelo plays Trainer John, and Aaron Babinski is amazed by his powers.







**D**iDi Vaz sang another version of Jewel's "Foolish Games." The lyrics were written by senior Brian Geer. The song began:

**O**ne of the filler skits was a parody of the Volkswagen commercial. Dan Serra and Nelson Felix drive by Paul Barroso.

*You turned the  
heat off, and  
let us freeze....  
You were always  
selfish like that.*



**T**he show left some active seniors exhausted. Zach Adams was one of sleepyheads.

**D**ancer Tracy Casimiro performed in "Bat Dance." She gives the cameraman a sneak peak at her moves.





**D**erek Booth helps himself to the buffet provided by Alcoa Catering.

**B**efore the class arrived for its last banquet, President Nadia Saleh was busy decorating.



**A**pril Buonicanti and Jen Houlihan wait for their turn at the buffet.

**C**elina Bouchard, Erin Moriarty, Brittany Boduch, Denielle Albertowicz, Amanda Miller, Lynn Champagne, and Karina Grimm squeeze together for a picture.







# Senior Banquet

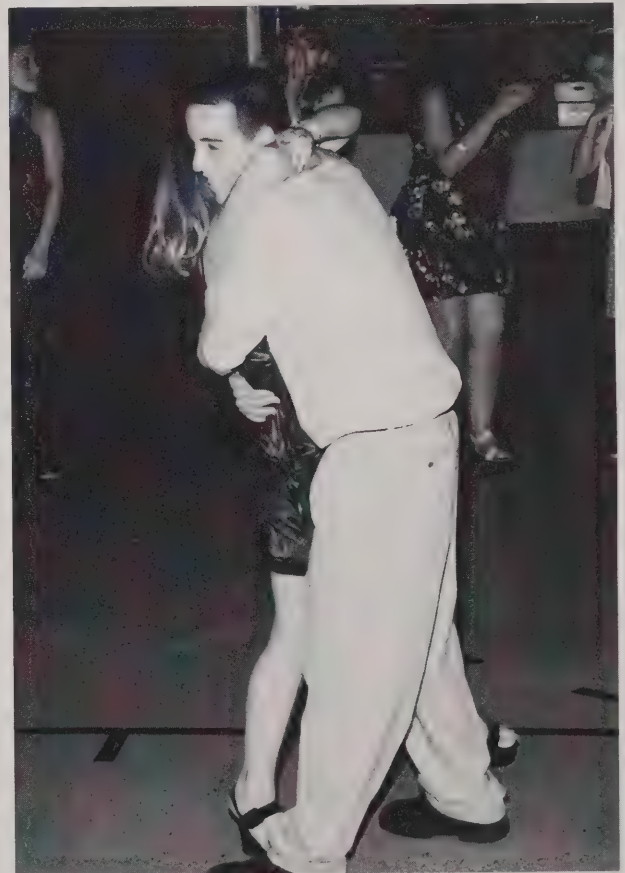
One last night of dancing, memories, and fun for the senior class of 1998, was held at Christ the King Hall on the second of June. The seniors ate, danced, and even played cards, creating some more lasting memories.

The night began with camera flashes and white smiles. Everyone slowly arrived looking their very best. The girls dressed in pretty flowered sun dresses and skirts. The boys showed up in khakis, button up shirts, and ties.

As soon as the buffet was opened, the hungry seniors hurried for a place in line. They filled their plates with delicious food catered by Alcoa.

The party started as soon as the DJ, Sergio, played the new hip tunes. As soon as the music was heard, happy faces rushed to the dance floor to bust their moves.

As always the night quickly came to an end as the sweaty and drained seniors exited the hall.



**B**en Michalski, Chris Priore, Ryan Pease, Dan Serra, Joe Alexander, Scott Manchester, Mark Leandro, Rui Serrazina, and Jeff Rodrigues demonstrate their best GQ poses.

**J**ustin Calheno gives Julie Pszeniczny a big bear hug. He smothers her with affection.



# Class Day

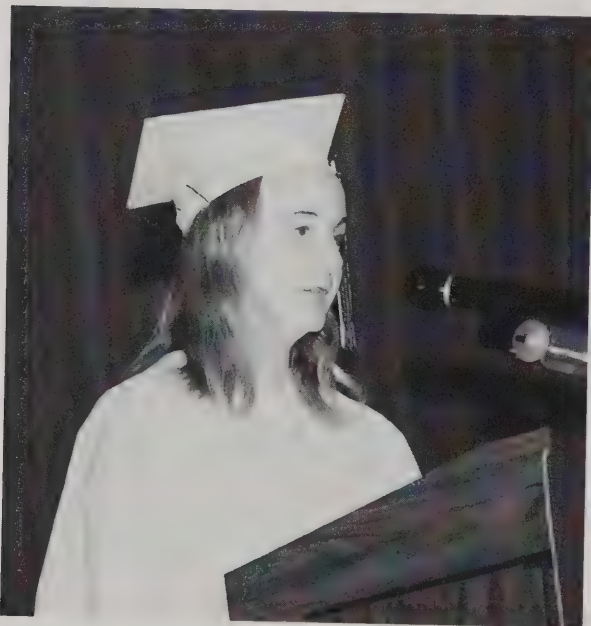
**L**udlow High School presented the Class of 1998 on the third of June with the traditional Class Day.

As the seniors lined up in the cafeteria and prepared to march down the aisles of the auditorium, the underclassmen quickly filled the auditorium to watch a day full of acknowledgments, honors, and awards.

The seniors entered to "Pomp and Circumstance" and took their seats. Speeches were made by Class President Nadia Saleh, School Committee Chairperson Mrs. Colleen Ryan, Superintendent Dr. William Compton, Student Council President Diolinda Vaz, and Salutatorian Sarah Lewison.

Soon after, the seniors reminisced about their four years: Freshman year was presented by Melissa Leal and Lisa DeSousa, sophomore year was presented by Raymond Moorhouse and Sheri Santos, junior year was presented by Jennifer Leandro and Diolinda Vaz, senior year by Melissa Goncalves and Aaron Saunders, and the future was predicted by Tina Ganhao and Cristina Pires. Class ballots were also read by Lisa Rogowski, Julie Rickson, Amanda LaRiviere, and Linda Dias.

After the classes history was read, awards and scholarships were handed out by Mr. James D. Cavallo and the top ten was presented by Mrs. Susan Stachelek. At the conclusion the class poem was read by its author, Diolinda Vaz.



**S**alutatorian Sarah Lewison gives the Class Day Oration. She stated she was undecided about careers; however, she saw that indecision as an opportunity to explore different avenues.

**C**utest couple Sheri Santos and Ray Moorhouse give the sophomore year class history. Ray reminded us about the time that guy did that thing in that place.







*K*rissy Williams and Mia Rodrigues listen attentively to the speakers. Krissy holds a program in her hand. Its cover was designed by Lillianna Pereira.

*N*ational Honor Society members are presented with their stoles and pins.



*M*r. James Cavallo hands awards to Amy Lagasse, Denielle Albertowicz, and Stephanie Avalos for their participation in special early childhood and development projects. Connie Alexander is hidden by Mr. Cavallo.

*S*chool Committee Chairperson Mrs. Colleen Ryan gives Ryan Chaves an award and kiss for serving as student representative on the committee for two years.





Junior Class President Heather Fonseca was given the peace pipe from Senior Class President Nadia Saleh.

Justin Calheno, Brian Geer, Jason Birch, and Bryan Provost pay close attention to Devyn Blais's presentation.



Nelson Tereso receives an emotional embrace from his sister. Although hundreds of parents and students were crammed into the auditorium, it was very quiet while letters were passed out.

Wearing straw hats, Mr. Alexander Bal, Mrs. Toni Mancuso, and Mrs. Nancy Kurty give speeches which produce laughter and tears from the crowd. They discuss the "shoes" they have worn in life, and Mr. Bal reminisces about a bird he once had.



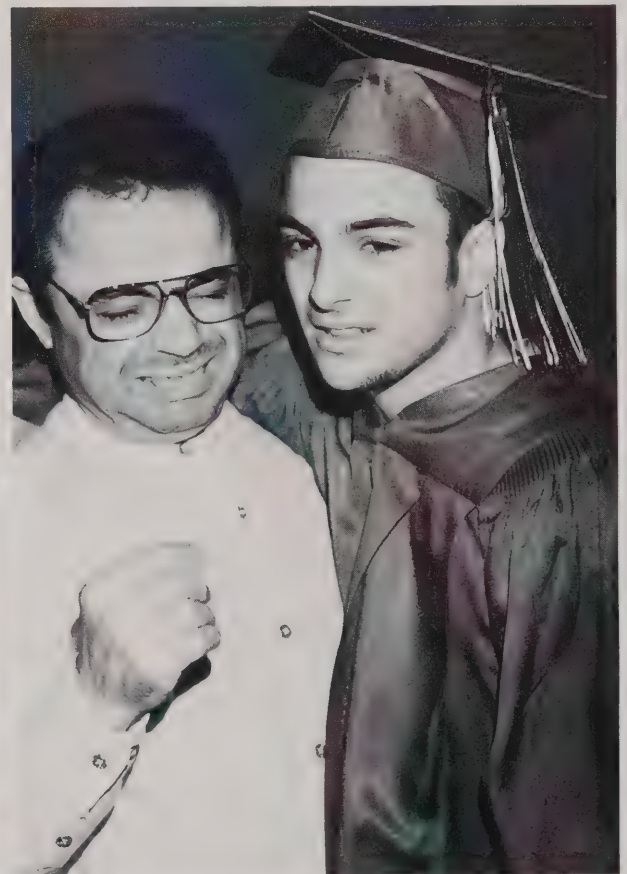




# Senior Assembly

The Senior Assembly was put on by a committee from the Class of 1999, along with their class advisors. The assembly started with the juniors holding roses to form arches through which the seniors walked. During the assembly, the class advisors of 1998, Mrs. Toni-Marie Mancuso, Mrs. Nancy Kurty, and Mr. Alexander Bal, talked to us about the shoes we have filled at Ludlow High and the ones we will go on to fill in the future. Many of the seniors shed tears, while looking at the slides of their memories at Ludlow High. Following this, the seniors handed their parents letters they had written, thanking them for believing in them and for their support. The tradition of passing the peace pipe was also done by the president of the Class of 1998 to the president of the Class of 1999.

The assembly ended with the juniors encircling the seniors with lit candles as the song "I Will Remember You" was played.



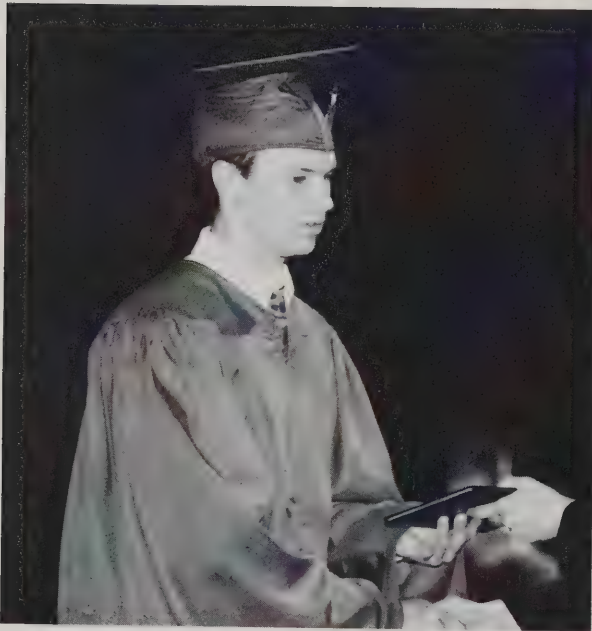
Carla Alves, Christina Marie Goncalves, and Lisa Gama prepare for the assembly the juniors have planned for them.

Rui Serrazina and his father share a tender moment. Slide shows, and speeches created a number of emotions which would culminate with the handing out of letters.



Jennifer Peacey receives one of the many awards that were given to her on graduation night

Nelson Felix gives his valedictory speech in which he expressed his feelings concerning the potential of the senior class.



Michael Belben receives his diploma from Mrs. Colleen Ryan who is the chairman of the school committee.

Melissa Roy receives her diploma from her mother, Mrs. Diane Roy, who is an English teacher at Paul R. Baird Middle School.







# Graduation Night

The graduating Class of 1998 held its graduation at the UMASS Mullins Center in Amherst on Friday, June fifth at seven thirty p.m.

As seniors gathered they became excited, nervous, and happy. They adjusted their caps and buttoned their gowns as they anxiously awaited their cue to walk.

Finally the seniors processed out two by two to "Pomp and Circumstance" played by the Ludlow High School band. The arch-bearers held the arches over the seniors as they gracefully walked to their seats.

The ceremony began with a song by the choir "This Is the Moment" led by Michael Rheault and the band played "Toccata" arranged by Earl Sloicum. The seniors sang and played for Ludlow High School for the last time. The valedictory address was given by Nelson Felix. The awards were presented by Mr. James D. Cavallo. Superintendent of Schools Dr. William Compton presented the graduating Class of 1998 to Mrs. Colleen M. Ryan who handed the seniors the well deserved diplomas. Nadia Saleh, the class president, concluded the speeches with a graduating message. Finally, to conclude the ceremony "The Star Spangled Banner" was played very beautifully.

The Ludlow High symphony band once more played "Music for a Ceremony" as the new alumni of Ludlow High School's Class of 1998 recessed from the arena.



Michael Santos receives his diploma from his godfather Joseph Santos who was newly elected to the school committee.

The senior members of concert choir join the group to perform "This Is the Moment."





# Awards

## *Language*

MARIA SERRENHO

## *Mathematics*

NELSON FELIX  
JENNIFER PEACEY  
SARAH LEWISON

## *History*

NATHAN DOLLEY

## *English*

CONNIE ALEXANDER  
JENNIFER PEACEY

## *Athletics*

SCOTT MANCHESTER  
JULIE RICKSON  
TIFFANY ANN EVANS

## *Student Government*

DIOLINDA VAZ

## *Art*

LILLIANNA PEREIRA

## *Science*

NELSON FELIX

## *Social Studies*

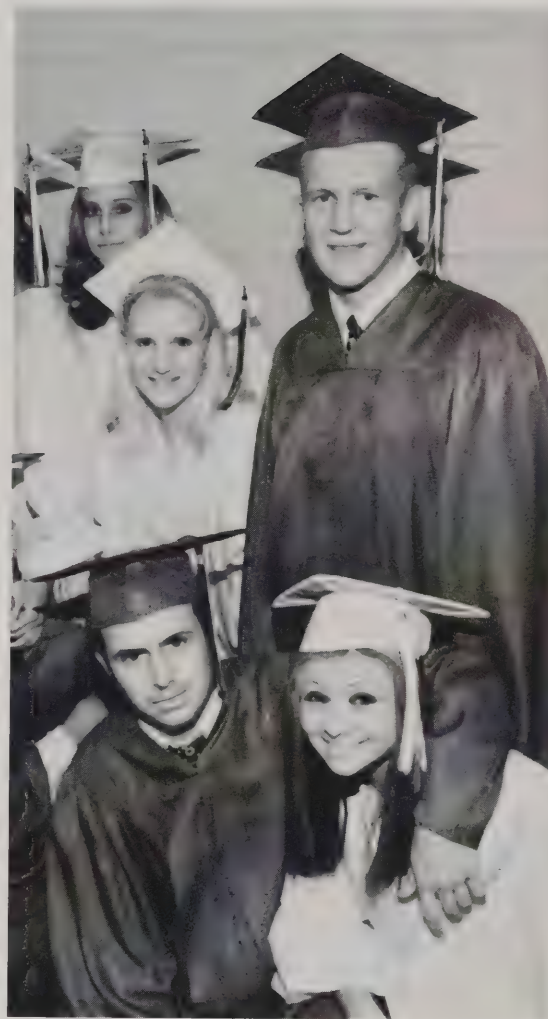
CONNIE ALEXANDER

## *Literature*

JENNIFER PEACEY

## *Citizenship*

NELSON CAMACHO



Kelly Bobow  
Nichole Koz  
Slavic Priveden  
Paul Fragoso, and Amy F  
take a picture just before  
enter the hall.



The Class of 1998 sits  
together for the last  
time.

Abby Parmentier  
smiles  
tentatively as she  
receives her diploma.





**D**aul Fragoso and Nelson Tereso hold up Tony Quiterio demonstrate all the excitement of the night.

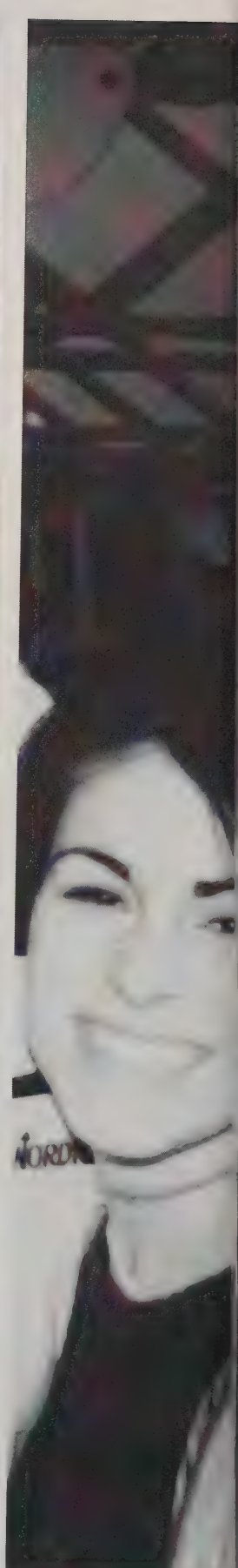
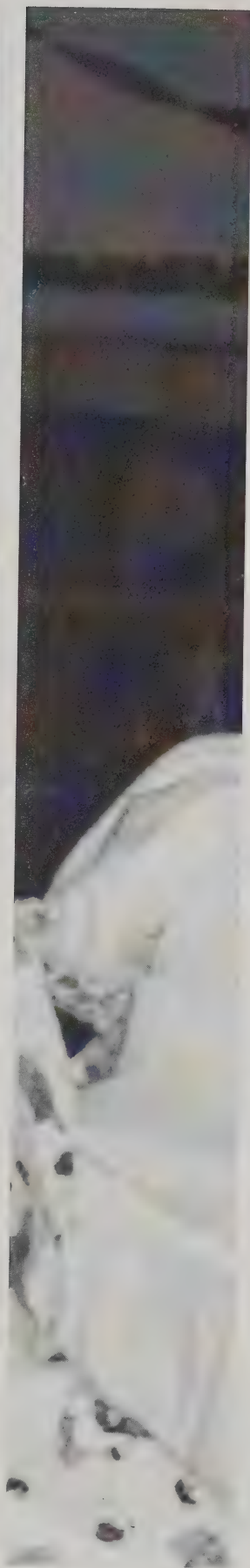
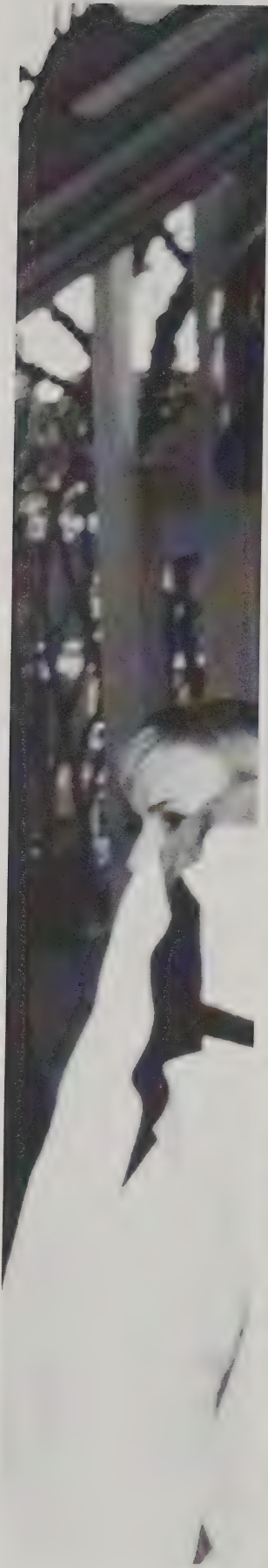


**B**efore the line up, groups of seniors, parents, underclassmen, and teachers chat.

**S**ome seniors stand together to take a picture before the ceremony.











# Events



*Tom* Kwajewski and Tina Ganhao traveled to Boston on the senior class's last educational field trip. The trip allowed seniors to experience the famous "duck tours" and to do some shopping in Quincy Market.

*Beth* Ingalls and Bela Baltazar dance together at the Halloween Ball. Once the seniors got dressed up, they let their inhibitions go, and "grooved" to the tunes of DJ Dave Costa.

*Students will probably forget math lessons and plot summaries when they leave high school, but trips and dances will remain in their memories. These events allow each class to come together. Senior class members appreciated the time they had to spend with each other before the end of high school, and its level of participation was outstanding.*



Stacey Downing and Sher "twin." Sheri Santos were always together that night. The two dressed in matching outfits, matching pigtails, and even matching pillows!



The first place winners at the ball were Ron Vice and Anne Forcum. The juniors went as Raggedy Andy and Raggedy Ann.



Mr. Jeff Peterson entertains the group with his pumpkin head. The seniors decorated the cafeteria with pumpkins, spider webs, and skeletons.

Jen Prior, DiDi Vaz, Krystal Soja, Tiffany Evans, Jen Leandro, and the crouching Melissa Leal participated in the dance contests run by DJ Dave Costa.





# Halloween Ball

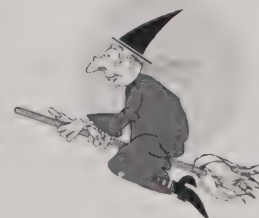
**O**n Friday, October 24, the senior class sponsored a Halloween Ball. Approximately 100 students attended, and most of those people were in costume. The students were very creative, and their outfits were diverse. For example, a few of the

homemade costumes included a dead bride, a robot, and a mailman. Most of the rented costumes were Disney figures such as Ursula from *The Little Mermaid* and Princess Jasmine from *Alladin*.



*M*ia Cabana and her "Phantom of the Opera," Phil Surprenant waltz to a slow song. Mia's Grecian outfit was her creation. She used a nightgown as a toga, and her crown was bought in a fabric store.

*M*elissa Kulas, Bela Baltazar, Beth Ingalls, Nadia Saleh, Monica Sanchez, and Kelly Bobowiec form an odd crowd!





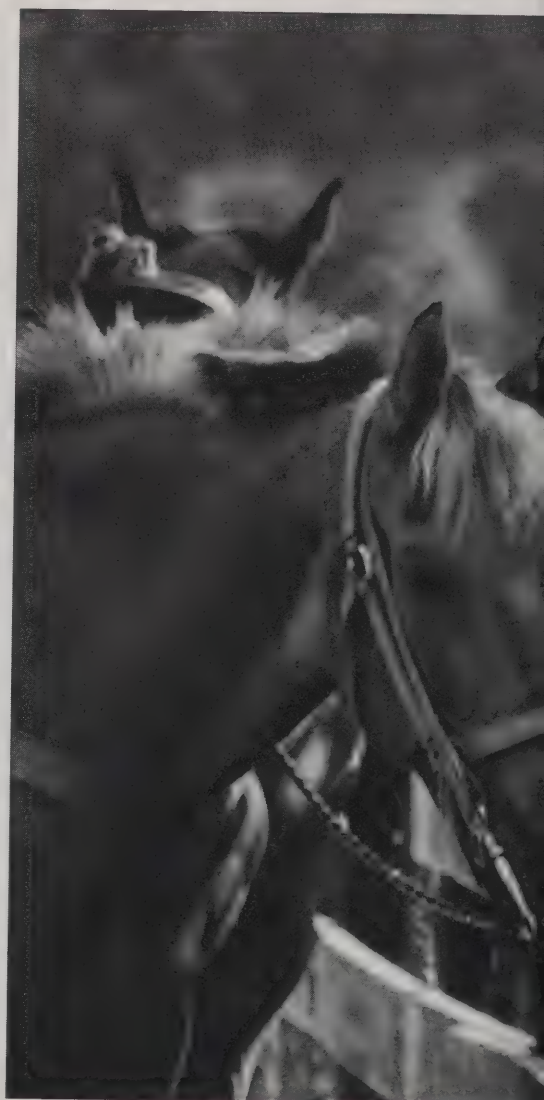
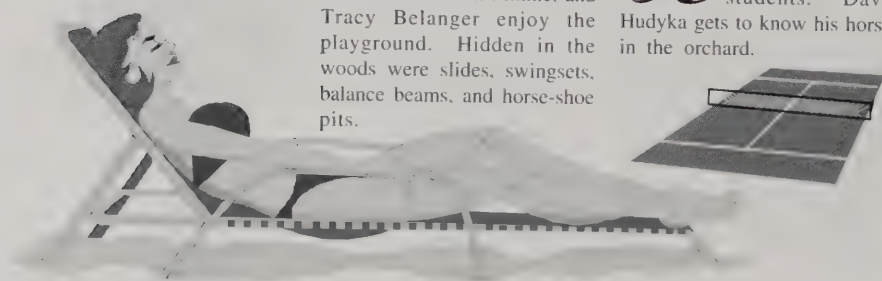
Shelley Ogden takes a ride in a canoe. Some students had trouble with the heavy boats. Brian LaMont would capsize in the pond later on.

Christina Marie Gonçalves, Carla Alves, Lili Fonseca, and Lisa Gama explore on one of the paths.



Danielle Morcavage, Michael Martin, Melissa Minnie, and Tracy Belanger enjoy the playground. Hidden in the woods were slides, swingsets, balance beams, and horse-shoe pits.

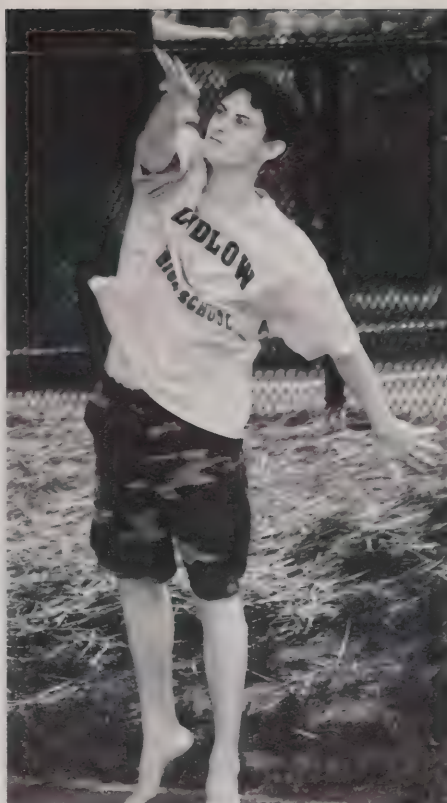
Horseback rides were offered to the students. Dave Hudyka gets to know his horse in the orchard.





# Mystery

On Friday, May 29, the seniors traveled to an unknown destination. The rumor mill was hard at work and guesses as to where they were going included Hampton Beach, Lake Champlain, High Meadows, Riverside Park, and the Village. The advisors, Mr. Alexander Bal, Mrs. Toni Mancuso, and Mrs. Nancy Kurty, all did a good job of keeping the trip they planned to Holiday Hill in Waterbury, Connecticut true mystery. With food always available, a pool open, and a DJ playing music and sponsoring contests, the Class of 1998 made its last trip a fun one.

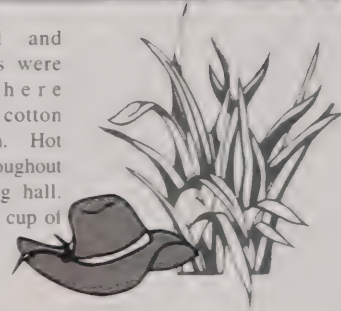


Jay Deraleau serves the ball during a volleyball game. There were a number of nets available for the students to use.

Elina Bouchard and Lynn Champagne protect their eyes from the glowing sun.



Free food and free drinks were everywhere especially popcorn, cotton candy, and ice cream. Hot food was available throughout the day in the dining hall. Tony Angelo enjoys a cup of soda.





Alicia Fidalgo and Melissa Hammel enjoy a view of Venice from a balcony in St. Mark's square.

The travelers saw a number of sights including this castle-like chapel one of the many located in Florence.



Charlie Lavin was one of the 13 students to visit Italy with advisors James Martin and Frances Libszewski. Behind her are a number of vendors and artists in the city of Florence.

Jackie Korbel enjoys this horse statue in Venice. One of the great advantages to the trip was that it expanded the students' knowledge and appreciation of art.



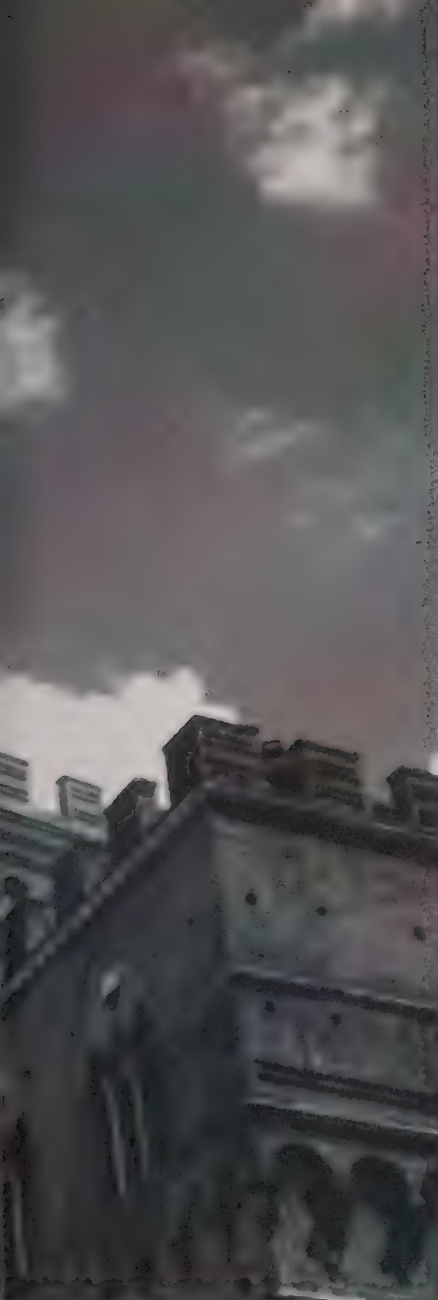


# Italy or Bust!

**O**n April 16th, thirteen students from Ludlow High embarked upon the adventure of a life time. These students traveled to Italy and visited the cities of Venice, Florence, Sorrento, Rome, and the Vatican City.

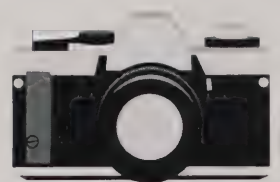
During their ten day action-

packed trip, they visited landmarks such as Rome's Sistine Chapel. After breaking through the language barrier, they managed to make their way around Italy with few problems. The students returned with countless souvenirs, and lasting memories.



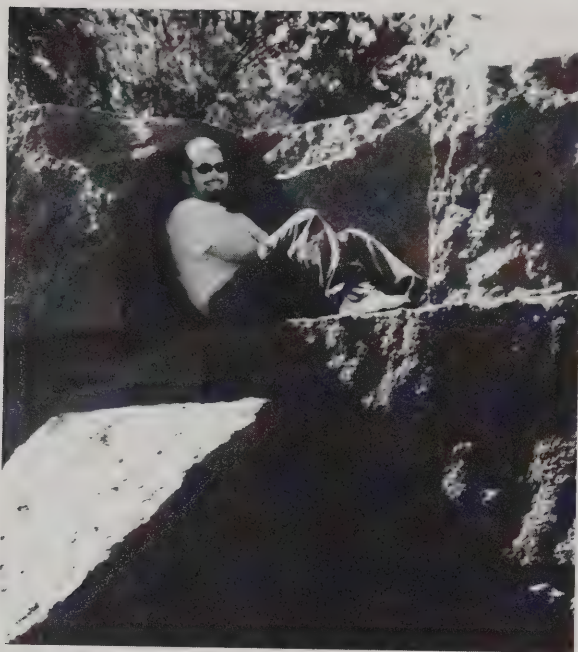
**T**odd Kiel places some *flores* in his hair at a rest stop in Florence. While becoming one with his surrounding he also amuses his fellow travelers.

**T**he market places in Venice were plagued with thousands of pigeons. Kerri Padgett feeds and plays with the numerous pigeons in St. Mark's square.





Chris Wells relaxes in the FDR memorial. Soon after the photo was taken, a guard kicked him out.



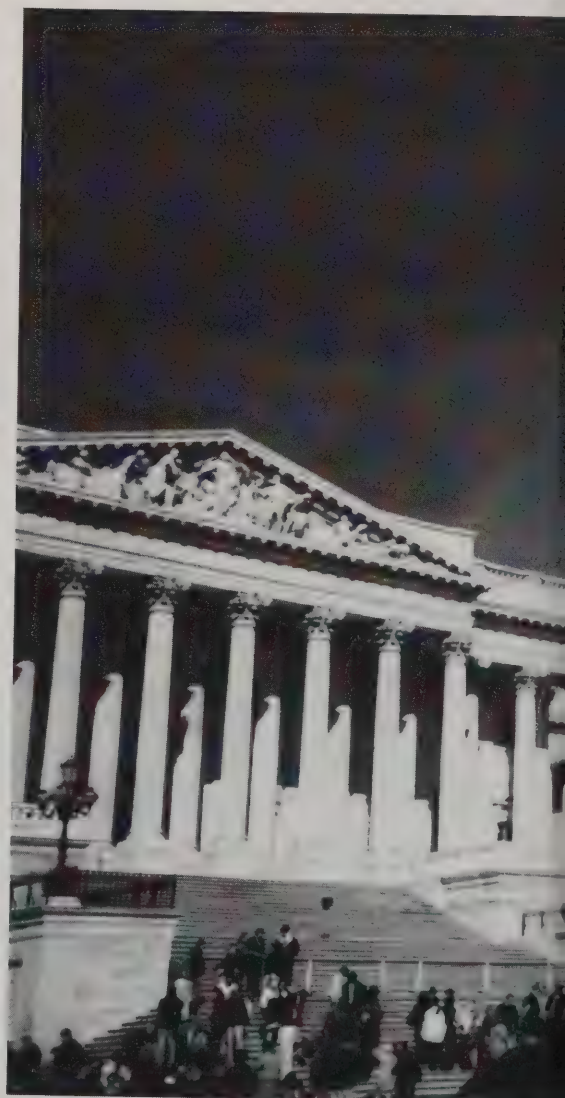
A group of AP students visit the Lincoln Memorial and rest on its steps. A friendly tourist offered to take the photo.



**F**ront: Chaperone Mr. David Larivee, Jen Peacey, Aaron Saunders, Devyn Blais, Cindy Lantaigne, Justin Calheno, Kevin Psoter, Derek Filipe, Mike Santos, Diolinda Vaz, Jeff Bernard, Tracy Casimiro, Chris Wells, Chap-

erone Mr. John O'Connor. Back: Brian Geer, Stacey Downing, Julie Rickson, Nadia Saleh, Dave Kwajewski, Nate Dolley, Ryan Chaves, Paul Barroso, Connie Alexander, Sarah Lewison, Becky Carrington.

**T**he first stop after getting off the plane was the Capitol. Congressman Richard Neal later met with students for a photo in front of the building.





# Washington

**T**wenty-three AP government students spent March 25, 26, and 27 in Washington, DC. They visited a number of sights including the JFK Center for Performing Arts, the Smithsonian, the Holocaust Museum, the Vietnam Memorial, the Lincoln Memorial, the FDR Memorial, and the White House. One of the more interesting stops was the Toys R Us Store in Springfield, Virginia, where the students bought heavy duty water guns, and later held water wars in the halls of the Days Inn.



**T**racy Casimiro, Cindy Lantaigne, and Devyn Blais met at the FDR Memorial. The Washington Monument was in plain view.

**T**here were long waits at DC's new National Airport. Becky Carrington and Jeff Bernard use each other for support.



**C**herry blossoms had just begun to bloom when the government students arrived. The Washington Monument is hardly visible through the pink trees.





# 1998 Class Ballot

*Most Beautiful and Most Handsome*

*Cindy Lantaigne and Alex Carvalho*

*Friendliest*

*Kelly Bobowiec and Scott Manchester*

*Most Organized*

*Melissa Leal and Nelson Felix*

*Most Disorganized*

*Linda Dias and Blake Gelonese*

*Most Optimistic*

*Kelly Bobowiec and Tony Quiterio*

*Most Pessimistic*

*Silvia Mendes and Mike Martin*

*Class Flirts*

*Bela Dias and Derek Filipe*

*Shyest*

*Susie Barroso and Dan Honorio*

*Most Talkative*

*Melissa Kulas and Nelson Camacho*

*Nicest Smile*

*Lisa DeSousa and Roland Martin*

*Class Clowns*

*Jen Leandro and Ray Moorhouse*

*Class Scholars*

*Sarah Lewison and Nelson Felix*

*Most Likely To Succeed*

*DiDi Vaz and Nelson Felix*

*Most Involved*

*DiDi Vaz and Ryan Chaves*

*Most Gullible*

*Tina Ganhao and Todd Rodrigo*

*Class Musicians*

*Carol Graveline and Keith Smolinski*

*Nicest Eyes*

*Cindy Lantaigne and Steve Gawronski*

*Best Dressed*

*Lisa Goncalves and Alex Carvalho*

*Class Artists*

*DiDi Vaz and Paul Deraleau*

*Class Athletes*

*Nate Dolley, Nick Saloio, and Amy LaBie*



*Class Couple*

*Nadia Saleh and Mike Dorval*

*Class Inseparables*

*Tina Ganhao and Cristina Pires*

*Most Changed*

*Tracy Belanger and Tim Hnatow*

*Class Individuals*

*Tracy Belanger and Tim Hnatow*

*Favorite Teacher*

*Mr. Phil Dalessio*

*Teacher's Pets*

*Carol Graveline and Dan Serra*

*Nicest Car*

*Jay Birch's 1971 Ford Maverick*

*Cutest Couple*

*Sheri Santos and Ray Moorhouse*

*Oddest Couple*

*Melissa Roy and Joe Lalli*

*Worst Drivers*

*Nicole Koziol and Tom Santos*

*Loudest*

*Michelle Rodriguez and Dave  
Kwajewski*

*Most Absentminded*

*Lisa DeSousa and Todd Rodrigo*

*Best Dance Performer*

*Cindy Lantaigne and Slavic Drivedenyuk*

*Class Quote*

*"It was the best of times, it was the worst of  
times."*

*Class Party-ers*

*Amy Fields and Tom Santos*

*Most Sensitive*

*Nadia Saleh and Brian Geer*

*Best Laughs*

*Cristina Pires and Mike Dorval*

*Best Sneeze*

*Tina Ganhao*

*Computer Freaks*

*Jen Peacey and Ryan Chaves*

*Best Nicknames*

*Amanda "Hollywood" Miller  
Scott "UBA" Manchester*

*Most Likely to See Their Names in  
Lights*

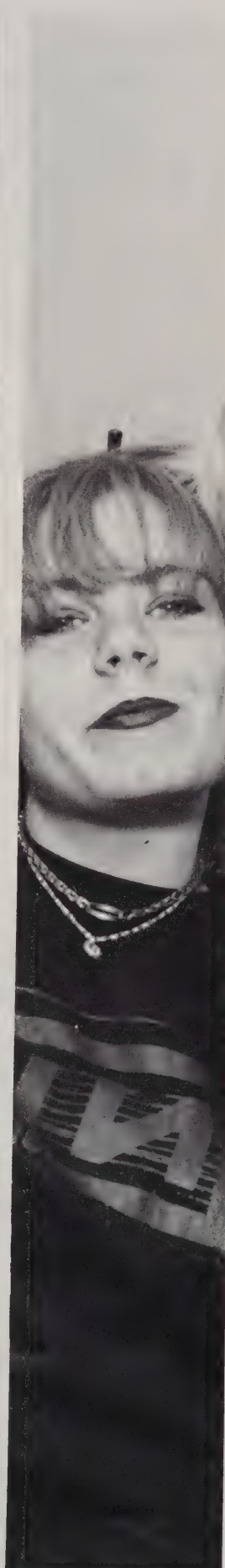
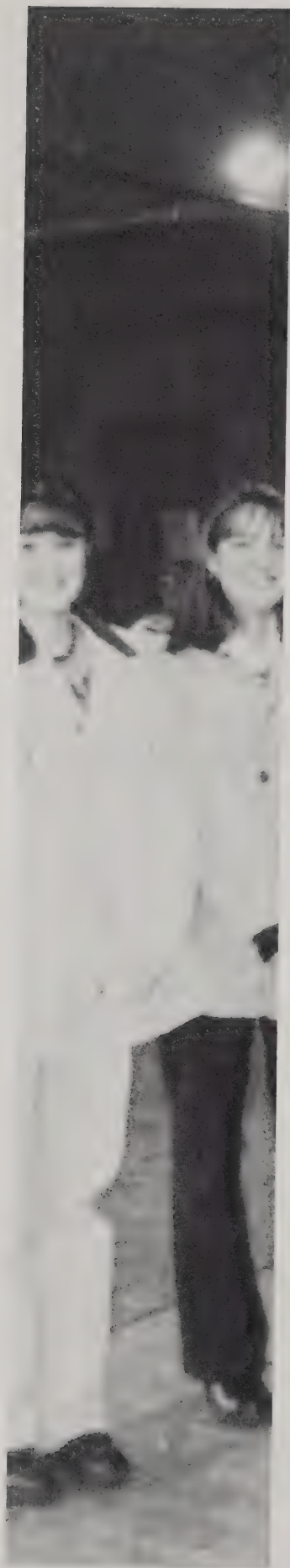
*Amanda Miller and Ray Moorhouse*

*Class Moment*

*Jeff Rodrigues' Post Senior Show Bash*











# Clubs



During the holiday season, Student Council members sang Christmas carols in front of Randall's Farm. Passersby and customers donated money and canned goods to the Survival Center. Student Council participated in a number of community service projects including Trick or Treating for Cans, Blood mobile, and Cancer Relay for Life.

editors Amanda LaRiviere and Kerri Padgett have demanding deadlines. The weekly magazine contains news, horoscopes, sports, poetry, and student-to-student messages. Journalism II students write the material and sell the issues for ten cents.

*Activities are a big part of LHS students' lives. Every group offers students an opportunity to explore their leadership abilities and broaden their interests. Club members are dedicated to their organizations. Some stay after school every day for meetings, music lessons, and mural projects. The teenagers are bursting with talent, and the different groups provide them with a variety of experiences that allow that talent to break through.*



# BREAKING THE NEWS

## THE CUB SHRUGS OFF CRITICISM AND PRINTS STORY

### DRUGS

This bong was found in the attic above the auditorium by *The Cub* reporters. Other evidence of drug use had been found in the auditorium's sound room and dressing room by music students. Two syringes were found, one under a seat by a precinct member at an

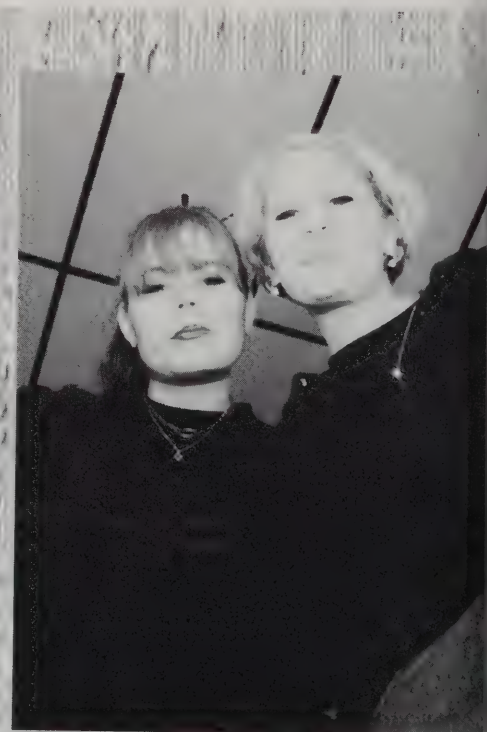


Acting on a tip, editorial editor Melissa Hammel investigated a storage area, and found a homemade water-pipe, or "bong." Heather Fonseca took a photograph of the room and the paraphernalia found there. Amanda LaRiviere, news editor, wrote the story. Hammel wrote an editor about her findings. Principal James Cavallo received a three-day suspension from the superintendent for not promptly reporting the discoveries. *The Cub* received a lot of publicity and won several awards at different press conferences, including the Enterprise Award endowed by the Springfield Union-News.



### THE CUB

Front: Advisor Mrs. Suzanne Kelley, Andrew Doucet, Linda Dias, Diolinda Vaz, Amanda LaRiviere, Heather Fonseca, Editor-in-Chief Lisa Rogowski, Melissa Hammel.  
Middle: Sandra Salvador, Kori Binette, Karen Gosciminski, Kerri Padgett, Jessica Yu, Bobbi-Lynn Gregory, Daniel Quiterio.  
Back: Megan Braska, Nancy Teixeira.



### HIGHLIGHTS

Amanda LaRiviere, Kerri Padgett



# BREAKING TRADITIONS

## PROM KING AND QUEEN CREATE CONTROVERSY

Some Student Council members threatened not to allow the 1998 prom to take place unless it did away with prom king and queen. This created heated debates at the meetings until there was no longer a quorum. The group was split on the issue.

A vote followed, and it resulted in a tie because of President Diolinda Vaz's vote against the abolishment of prom royalty. "If there are people who still enjoy that aspect of the prom, they should be able to experience it. If I don't want to participate, I don't have to. I am not ready to disappoint people I am

representing. The prom committee should be able to decide what happens at the prom, not Student Council," stated Vaz.

Vice-President Nadia Saleh eventually dropped her motion to reconsider having the prom with a king and queen. The debate ended in Student Council; however, some important questions were raised: "What kind of authority does Student Council really have? Should there still be a prom king and queen?"



### CROWNS

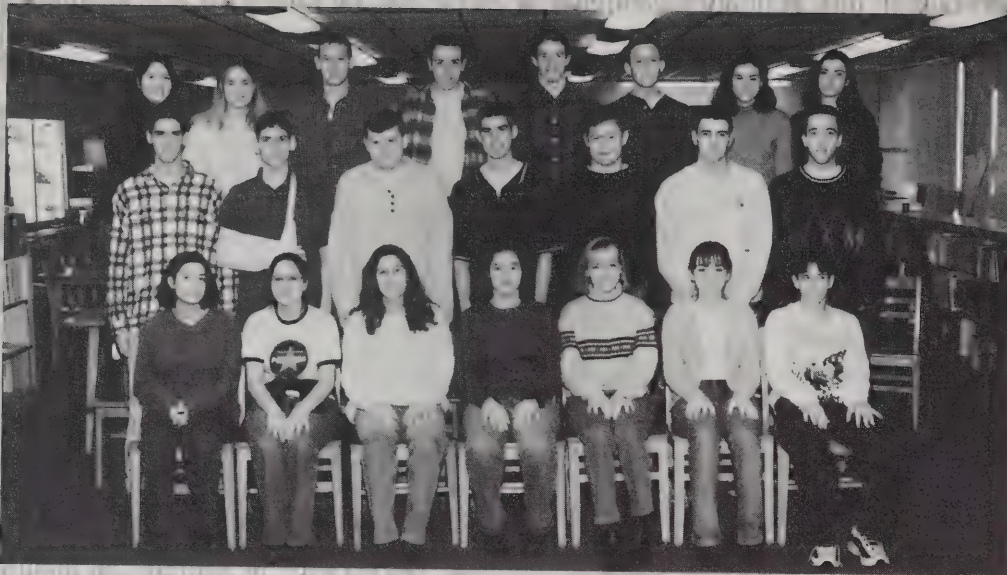
The prom committee had already purchased these crowns when some Student Council members threatened not to pass the prom as long as it had a crowning ceremony.



### STUDENT COUNCIL

*Front:* President Diolinda Vaz, Treasurer Ryan Chaves, Vice-President Nadia Saleh, Secretary Melissa Leal.  
*Second:* Katie Knowles, Lisete Simoes, Jennifer Leandro, Elizabeth Barry, Joanne Wozniak, Melipda Alves, Melissa Jorge, Jennifer Jorge.  
*Third:* Cristina Saraiva, Kara Livingston, Matthew Leal, Jen Prior, Derek Filipe, Steve Karalekas, Jen Bailey, Christina Ferreira, Shruti Kulkarni.  
*Back:* Cristina Pires, Tiffany Santos, Lindsay Calkins, Lindsay Robillard, Kara Williamson, Heather Fonseca, Nancy Almeida, Devyn Blais.





### SENIOR PATROL

*Front:* Lisa DeSousa, Jennifer Leandro, Nadia Saleh, Amy Labier, Shannon Robar, Cristina Pires, Michael Dorval.

*Middle:* Benjamin Lemek, Kevin Psoter, Brian Geer, Nathan Dolley, David Kwajewski, Derek Filipe, Justin Calheno.

*Back:* Melissa Leal, Elizabeth Ingalls, Jonathan Haluch, Dan, Serra, Ryan Pease, Justin Laramie, Devyn Blais, Diolinda Vaz.

### LOCAL STUDENT ADVISORY COUNCIL

*Clockwise:* Melissa Leal, Jen Bailey, Chairman Ryan Chaves, Diolinda Vaz, Nadia Saleh.



**STATE S.A.C.**

**REGIONAL S.A.C.**

Diolinda Vaz

Nadia Saleh

# BREAKING OUT IN SONG

## CHORUS PERFORMS AT NUMEROUS EVENTS



### CHORUS

*Front:* Gina Evans, Danielle Montagna, Eva Hiersche, Anne-Marie Archambo, Je Matthes, Melissa Melcher, Shawna Nall, Carrie Flebotte.

*Second:* Leah Saloio, Sarah Gwozdz, Cristin Saraiva, Lori Randall, Kristen Fioravanti, Donna Chrzan, Trish Maggard, Lyn Champagne, Nancy Almeida.

*Third:* Celina Bouchard, Danielle Abertowicz, Steve Gawronski, Ray Moorhouse, Cryst LeClair.

*Back:* Kristen Greene, Heather Leroux, Carl Knowles, Katarzyna Kopacz, Amanda Mille, Brittany Boduch, Jessica Abar, Ken Tophan, Nichole Phaneuf, Mr. Micheal Rheault.

*Missing from photo:* Jen Almeida, Kriss Williams, Matt Boisvert.





### **SENIOR EXECUTIVE BOARD**

*Front:* Linda Dias, Cristina Pires, Devyn Blais, Nadia Saleh.  
*Second:* Melissa Kulas, Tina Ganhao.  
*Third:* Maria Serrenho, Kelly Bobowiec, Rebecca Carrington, Sheri Santos, Melissa Goncalves.  
*Fourth:* Carol Graveline, Elizabeth Ingalls, Susana Afonso, Lisa DeSousa, Tracy Casimiro, Angela Goncalves.  
*Fifth:* Bela Baltazar, Kristen Fioravanti, Connie Alexander, Shannon Robar, Donna Chrzan, Danielle Montagna, Lillianna Pereira, Cynthia Lantaigne, Monica Ribeiro, Stacey Downing, Erin Moriarty.  
*Sixth:* Jennifer Leandro, Silvia Mendes, Melissa Leal, Allison Skura, Carly Knowles, Derek Filipe.  
*Back:* Ryan Chaves, Jeff Bernard, Briah Geer, Kevin Psoter, David Kwajewski, Justin Calheno.



### **JUNIOR EXECUTIVE BOARD**

*Front:* Nicole Phaneuf, Tiffiny Santos, Ashlee Goncalves, Kimberly Mosio.  
*Second:* Lenna Andre, Elaine Chrzan, Nancy Teixeira.  
*Back:* Melinda Alves, Jennifer Bailey, Jennifer Prior, Nancy Almeida, Lindsay Calkins, Heather Fonseca.

# **CRUSHING THE COMPETITION**

## **BAND WINS SILVER MEDAL AT M.I.C.A. FESTIVAL**



### **BAND**

*Front:* Chris Santucci, David Vigliano, Andrew Emond, Jason Mancuso, Tony Santucci, Joe Boulanger, Steve Ricardi, Dan Saunders  
*Second:* Jenna Doty, Danielle Labelle-Boucher, Joanne Wozniak, Kristen Greene, Melissa Roy, Kara Livingston, Stephanie Bennet, Sarah Fulton, Samantha Michalczyk, Sarah Lewison, Andre Queiroga.  
*Third:* Melissa Leal, Rob Vice, Matt Krystofik, Mia Cabana, Jon Dias, Erin Fuller, Jill Krystofik, David Hudyka, Ashley Ceberek, Melissa Hatch, Steve Dias, Danielle Bowen, Sean Knox.  
*Fourth:* Jeff Tetrault, Matthew Leal, Filipe Barroso, Kendra Lebel, Cristina Nascimento, Carol Graveline, Lori Smolinski, Patty Galarneau, Sarah Jaciow, Matt DaCruz, Andrew Dufresne, Dennis Carroll, Andrew DaCruz.  
*Back:* Eric Gove, Steve Gawronski, Keith Smolinski, Paulo Barroso, Nick Gates, Paulo Faria, Katie Liszka, Doug Lawrence, Mike Murray, Nick Saloio, Amanda Bilodeau, Bill Labelle-Boucher.



# TIE-BREAKERS GIVE TEAM SECOND

EXPERIENCED AND INEXPERIENCED MEMBERS WIN AWARDS



## DEBATE TEAM

*Front:* Jennifer Jolivet, Nicole Phaneuf, Diolinda Vaz, Shelley Odgen, Patrick Chrzanowski.  
*Back:* Laura Pronovost, Brent Bonzek, Ryan Chaves, Jessica Yu.

“Renewable Energy! What a boring subject!” That is what the LE Debate Team said when they found out the year’s topic. Although the subject was bland, the team was anything but dull. With two groups, an experienced one and an inexperienced one, the debaters went up against some challenging teams.

The team performed excellently. Co-captains Ray Phoenix and Ryan Chaves held many practices and carefully planned strategies. Unfortunately, the stiff competition placed the team in numerous ties for awards. After a disappointing tie-breaker, the team went home with second and third place.



## SOPHOMORE EXECUTIVE BOARD

*Front:* Katie Knowles, Bobbi-Lynn Gregory.  
*Middle:* Karen Silveira, Treasurer Shruti Kulkarni, President Matt Leal, Secretary Steve Karalekas, Laura Mornie, Lora Alves.  
*Back:* Andrew Doucet, Jessica Piesz, Kim Sagan, Liz Barry, Alicia Fidalgo.  
*Missing:* Vice-President Mia Cabana



## FRESHMAN EXECUTIVE BOARD

Secretary Melissa Jorge, Lindsay Robillard, Karla Livingston, President Lisete Simoes, Vice-President Joanne Wozniak, Tina Ferreira, Karla Williamson, Treasurer Jen Jorge.



# CATCHING THE RULE BREAKERS

## LUNCH PATROL KEEPS THE RIFF-RAFF UNDER CONTROL

**W**hat does every freshman fear? The lunch patrol. Although lunch was recently shortened to only thirty minutes, people still had time to loiter in the halls. Sneaky underclassmen tried to get by the lunch patrol and make it to their lockers, but they were usually turned back by a patroller.

"They stand right outside the doors of the office, ready to get to their next class, waiting for the bell to ring," stated Sarah Lewison who patrols the area outside of the office during second lunch. "They are there every single day!"



**LUNCH PATROL**

Amy LaBier, Jeffery Rodrigues, Sarah Lewison.



**AERIAL CLUB**

*Front:* Krystal Correia, Joanne Wozniak.  
*Second:* Danielle Bowen, Patricia Galarneau, Nicole Phaneuf, Sheri Santos, April Cyranowski.  
*Third:* Christie Bianchi, Melissa Hatch, Laura Pronovost, Anthony Henriques, Michael Ostrowski, Mrs. Maureen Potti.  
*Back:* Lilliana Pereira, Eric Silva, Jennifer Bailey, Diolinda Vaz.



**S.A.D.D.**

*Front:* Stephanie Bennet, Jessica Bonzek, Jacqueline Doucet, Samantha Dias, Jessica Yu, Karen Gosciminski, Rebecca Carrington.  
*Second:* Christina Sanches, Erin Moriarty, Diolinda Vaz, Sarah Lewison, Rebecca Rustic, Martha Ferrabelo, Victoria Ribeiro, Katie Bassette, Mary Butler.  
*Back:* Daniel Quiterio, Sarah Jaciow, Philip Vitorino, President Brent Bonzek, Tracy Casimiro, Melissa Hammel, Amanda LaRiviere, Jennifer Jolivet, Amy LaBier.





#### OFFICE HELP

*Front:* Elaine Chrzan, Sheri Santos, Nadia Saleh.  
*Middle:* Krissy Williams, Emily Taylor.  
*Back:* Jennifer Wright.



#### LIBRARY AIDES

John Kania, Michelle Goodrow, Andrew Doucet, Joaquim Simao, Hilary Roberts.

## STOPPING THE LAWBREAKERS

### MOCK TRIAL SEASON ENDS EARLY



#### MOCK TRIAL

*Front:* Sarah Lewison, Monica Ribeiro, Diolinda Vaz, Cynthia Lantaigne, Tracy Casimiro.  
*Back:* Christopher Wells, Brent Bonzek, Kevin Psoter, Mr. Leonard Charest.

**D**uring the winter months, the Mock Trial team spent hours after school every Tuesday preparing for its legal battles as mock lawyers and mock witnesses. The team won its first two trials. When it lost its third competition, the season ended.

"I loved Mock Trial. The mistakes some of us made in the beginning were hilarious. We lied so much on the stand, if it was real court we would have gone to jail for perjury!" cried Tracy Casimiro, a witness for the prosecution.





### **MATH TEAM**

*Front:* Daniel Honorio, Allison Butler, Nelson Felix, Sarah Lewison.  
*Back:* Stephanie Bennet, Derek Filipe, Nathan Dolley.



### **LOCAL GOVERNMENT PARTNERSHIP**

*Front:* Linda Dias, Jennifer Leandro, Aaron Saunders, Julie Pszeniezny, Carol Graveline.  
*Middle:* Mr. Leonard Charest, Jennifer Peacey, Jeffrey Bernard, Christopher Martell, Shannon Robar.  
*Back:* Patricia Galarneau, Donna Chrzan, Devyn-Amelia Blais, Connie Alexander.

# 3.5 GPA AND BEYOND

## NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY DEDICATES STUDYING TIME TO CHARITY

**L**udlow High's chapter of the National Honor Society has strict requirements. In addition to flawless grades, volunteering and participating in extracurricular activities are required. Members collected soda tabs for Shriners Hospital. The campaign lasted for three months and brought in thousands of tabs. On Saturday, May 16, the group delivered the tabs to the hospital and spent the day playing with the young patients. The tabs went towards the purchase of hospital equipment.



### **NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY**

*Front:* Amy Fields, Carol Graveline, Sarah Lewison, Chris Wells, Ryan Chaves, Cindy Lantaigne.  
*Middle:* Advisor Mrs. Diane Mazzocco, Jen Jolivet, Sarah Jaciow, Elaine Chrzan, Nelson Felix, Dave Kwajewski, Nate Dolley, Keith Smolinski.  
*Back:* Amy LaBier, Diolinda Vaz, Donna Chrzan, Dan Quiterio, Danielle Maruca, Lindsay Calkins, Connie Alexander, Advisor Mrs. Susan Stachelek.



# CRACKING THE LAWBOOKS

## MODEL CONGRESS MEETS AT A.I.C.



### MODEL CONGRESS

*Front:* Dave Kwajewski, Monica Ribeiro, Sarah Lewison, Chris Wells.

*Back:* Mr. David Larrivee, Victoria Ribeiro, Jennifer Jolivet, Brent Bonzek, Kevin Psoter, Phil Vitorino.

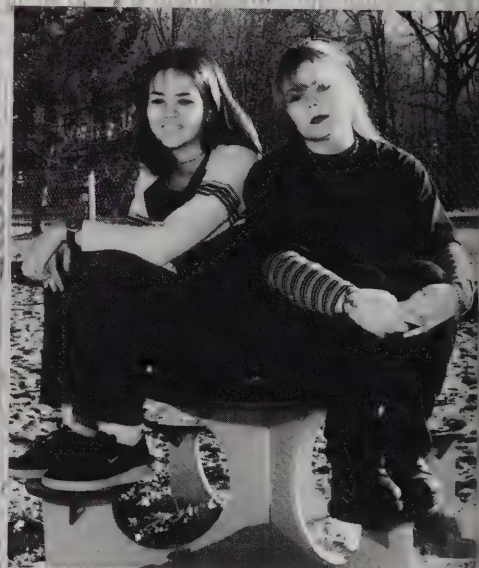
This year, the AIC Model Congress team went off with hopes of passing a Good Samaritan Law through a chamber Congress. Due to technicalities, the bill died in committee. The sponsors were veterans Sarah Lewison and Monica Ribeiro. The other two delegates were Dave Kwajewski (also a veteran) and rookie Chris Wells. A slew of observers also went, which provides for a strong delegation next year.



### AS SCHOOLS MATCH WITS TEAM

*Front:* Monica Ribeiro, Matt Leal, Samantha Dias.

*Back:* Dave Kwajewski, Kevin Psoter, Nelson Felix.



### THE PAW

Melissa Hammel, Amanda LaRiviere.



# BURSTING WITH PRIDE

## STUDENTS RECOGNIZED BY MEMBERS OF FACULTY

Although it sometimes seemed people were “Students of the Month” instead of “Students of the Week,” the award program picked up its pace in the spring. Nominees are chosen by the faculty. The winners receive T-shirts, certificates, and the pleasure of seeing their name on the marquee for a week...or even longer!

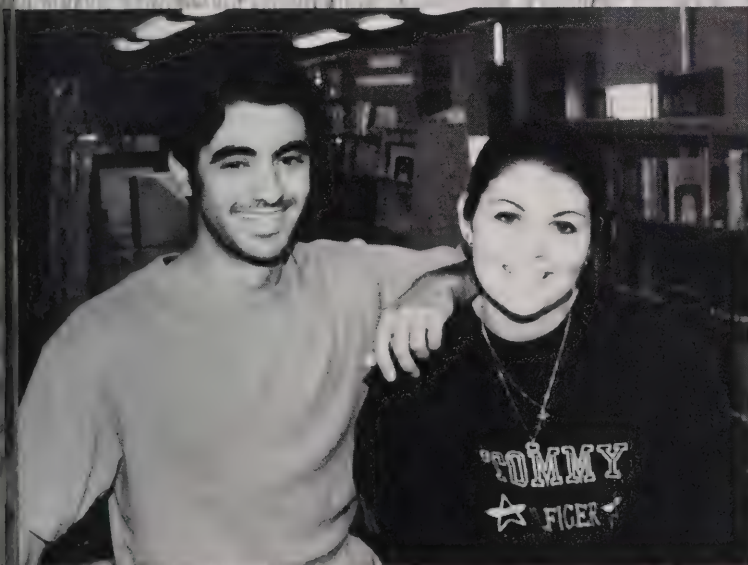
“My mom took pictures of the sign with my name on it. When I came home, I found the pictures on a pillow that read ‘Daughters Are Special,’” said Leandro. “It was a nice feeling.”



### STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

*Front:* Carol Graveline, Julie Rickson, Shannon Robar, Jeffery Bernard, Lisa Goncalves.

*Back:* Sarah Lewison, Connie Alexander, Angela Goncalves, David Kwajewski, Nelson Felix, Tracy Casimiro, Jennifer Alves.



### TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE

Ryan Chaves, Tiffany Ann Evans.



### APPEALS COMMITTEE

Donna Chrzan, Ryan Chaves, and Jennifer Bailey.



*Tracy Casimiro*  
business manager

*Melissa Hammel*  
junior editor  
senior portraits  
underclassmen

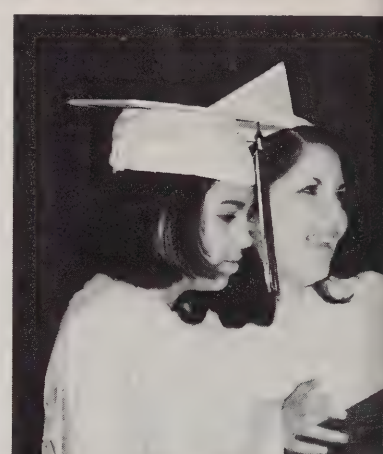
*Lisa Rogowski*  
semiformals



*Julie Rickson*  
sports

*Linda Dias*  
senior activities

*Lisa DeBousa*  
*Melissa Leal*  
reliable staffers



## Top Five Things

1. DiDi, Are you here all by yourself?

2. Where did that picture go? It was here a minute ago!

3. Are you getting food? Can you get me something?

4. Are you *still* here?

5. AAAAAAHHH!!!

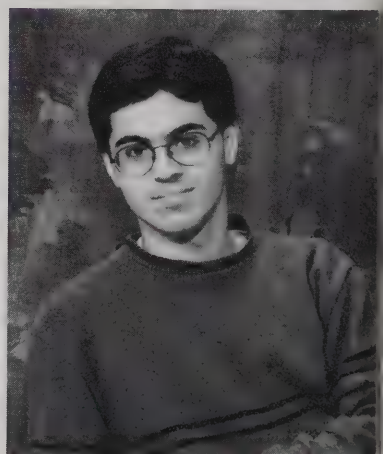
*Heard at  
Pearbook*

*Becky Farrington*  
reliable staffer  
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*Angela Goncalves*  
reliable staffer  
photographer

*Heather Fonseca*  
reliable staffer  
photographer

*Dan Quiterio*  
ad solicitor







*Business Manager* Tracy Casimiro  
*Editor-in-Chief* Diolinda Vaz

# Breaking THROUGH

Creating *Breaking Through* was a difficult task and a lot of people played a part in its creation. In order to finance the book's cost, business manager Tracy Casimiro and her business staff sold yearbooks in the fall and spring. They went to businesses in the area and solicited ads. Tracy also persuaded parents to place messages and photos of their children in the

back of the yearbook. Her efforts resulted in a lengthy parent ad section. Editor-in-Chief Diolinda Vaz made *Breaking Through* a "breakthrough" by using different design techniques and new layout ideas. Most of her ideas came from magazines and their advertisements (see page 160). Advisor Mrs. Suzanne Kelley made sure the pages were perfect by checking every word and every detail.



*Breaking Through Staff*  
Front: Jen Jorge, Nadia Saleh, Cristina Pires, Tina Ganhao, Cindy Lantaigne, Jen Leandro, Melissa Roy, Lisa Rogowski, Diolinda Vaz, Melissa Goncalves, Angela Goncalves, Becky Carrington, Melissa Jorge, Melissa Hammel, Tracy Casimiro, Joanne Wozniak, and Brent Bonzek.  
Opp: Heather Fonseca, Amanda LaRiviere, Erin Moriarty, Donna Chrzan, Michelle Barbeau, Pat Chrzanowski.

## A Special Thanks

Tracy Casimiro  
Melissa Hammel  
Becky Carrington  
Heather Fonseca  
Sarah Lewison  
Mia Cabana  
Dan Quiterio  
Andrew Doucet  
Lisa Gama  
Brian Geer  
The Greniers  
Mrs. Suzanne Kelley  
Claire Siegel  
Herff Jones



*The seniors were asked to give a quote and to describe themselves with one word.*

**Jessica Abar** 19, 126  
32 Highland Ave.

**Jameelia Abdullah** 18, 71, 75  
83 Chapin Greene  
"Image is nothing. Thirst is everything. Obey your thirst."  
-Sprite  
*Unique*

**Zachary Adams** 12, 18, 99, 140  
56 McKinley Avenue  
"Anger is a gift."  
*Crackerjack*

**Justin Afonso**  
24 Prospect Street

**Susana Afonso** 18, 127  
110 Whitney Street

**Denielle Albertowicz** 33, 100, 103, 107, 126  
6 Howard Street  
"Yes it is."  
*Happy*

**Connie Alexander** 18, 118, 127, 131, 133  
62 La Roche Street  
"Kindness in words creates confidence; kindness in thinking creates profoundness; kindness in giving creates love."  
-Lao Tse  
*Persistent*

**Joseph Alexander** 18, 101  
318 Blissword Drive  
"One word...I've said it once and I'll say it again...\*\*\*\*\*"  
*Relentless*

**Joseph Alvaro Jr.** 18  
356 Ventura Street

**Carla Alves** 18, 105, 114  
309 Winsor Street  
"Good luck to everyone. Keep looking forward. Lili and Lisa you will find the Portuguese prince."  
*Shy*

**Jennifer Alves** 18, 133  
34 Booth Street  
"Do what you heart tells you, not what you tell your heart." Jen and April friends forever.  
*Genuine*

**Dinis Andre** 18  
105 Elizabeth Drive

**Anthony Angelo** 18, 80, 98, 115  
398 West Street

**Joseph Aniolowski** 18, 70, 80, 140  
5 Stanley Street  
"What is there in this place that a man should ever want to get into it."  
-James A Garfield  
*Athletic*

**Richard Askew** 18  
109 Parker Lane

**Stephanie Avalos** 85, 103, 140  
23 Birch Street  
"Ummm...I don't know."  
*Hyper*

**Aaron Babinski** 19, 33, 42, 88, 89, 98  
247 Miller Street  
"If ignorance is bliss, then knock the smile from my face."  
-Zach de la Rocha  
*Sarcastic*

**Anabela Baltazar** 5, 19, 45, 110, 113, 127  
91 Cardinal Circle  
"You never lose by loving. You always lose by holding back."  
-Barbara de Angelis  
*Confused*

**Michele Barbeau** 19, 137  
272 Ventura Street

**Jason Barroso** 19, 99  
47 Grandview Avenue  
"You should live every day as though it were the last, but always be prepared for tomorrow."  
*Sleepy*

**Paulo Barroso** 19, 70, 75, 80, 94, 118, 127, 157  
219 West Street  
"Freedom discovers man the moment he loses concern over what impression he is about to make."  
-Bruce Lee  
*Reliable*

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105 Arnold Street  
"To achieve liberation and inner clarity, we must experience samadhi by destroying deceptive mental turmoil."  
*Flowerpower*

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38 Benton Street

**Michael Belben** 106  
255 West Street

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"To be the man, you have to beat the man."  
*American*

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197 Massachusetts Avenue  
"The birch tree is the only tree."  
*Fat*

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92 Edgewood Road  
"Shallow men believe in luck; strong men believe in cause and effect."  
-Ralph Waldo Emerson  
*Classic*

**Kelly Bobowiec** 19, 108, 113, 127  
57 Roosevelt Avenue  
"Always go by your heart, your true feelings, it will

lead you the right way."  
*Ill*

**Brittany Boduch** 19, 32, 77, 100, 107, 126.  
37 Glenwood Street  
"You don't have to be crazy, but it helps."  
*Tall*

**Derek Booth** 20, 73, 80, 100, 157  
81 Fuller Street

**Celina Bouchard** 20, 100, 115, 126, 156  
2 Fox Run Drive  
"There are no strangers in life just friends we have yet to meet."

**Joanna Bruneau** 20  
547 Fuller Street  
"You never lose by loving, you always lose by holding back."  
-Unknown  
*Spoiled*

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"If you don't follow your heart, your hopes and dreams may not come true." April and Jen friends forever.  
*Italiana-chick*

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16 Nash Hill Road

**Nelson Camacho** 86, 95  
24 Highland Avenue  
"Never explain, friends don't need it, and enemies will never believe it anyway."  
*Friendly*

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32 Grimes Street

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39 North Arthur

**Jonas Carvalho** 138  
119 Howard Street

**Karla Carvalho** 20, 140  
77 Clover Road  
"Don't let anyone set limits for you. Always exceed your goals. Good luck Class of 1998."  
*Crazy*

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45 Isabel Lane  
"I pity the fool."  
-Mr. T  
*Spineless*

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**Ryan Chaves** 20, 32, 68, 70, 97, 103, 125, 127, 128, 131, 133, 140  
87 Americo Street  
"In the middle of difficulty lies opportunity."  
-Albert Einstein  
*Active*



**Jonna Chrzan** 17, 20, 42, 77, 85, 94, 107, 125, 26, 127, 131, 133, 137, 141, 157

5 Dale Street

"May you always have a smile on your face and laughter in your heart."

*Friendly*

**Angela Costa**

147 Sewall Street

"It ain't a crime if you don't get caught."

-House of Pain

*Lucky*

**Eric Danner** 21, 88, 89

50 Andrew Street

**Jason Deraleau** 21, 114, 157

124 Kirkland Avenue

"Our sincerest laughter with some pain is fraught.

Our sweetest songs are those that tell of the saddest thoughts."

-Shelley

*Shocked*

**Paul Deraleau** 33, 156

41 Crest Street

**Lisa DeSousa** 13, 17, 20, 21, 126, 127

30 Blanchard Avenue

**Anabela Dias** 21, 46

109 Genovevo Drive

**Linda Dias** 4, 21, 33, 124, 127, 131, 136, 140, 157

53 Homestretch Drive

"If it is meant to be, it will happen."

*Cute*

**Jennifer Dion**

48 Letendre Avenue

**Lyubov Dmitriev** 157

122 Old West

**Nathan Dolley** 21, 32, 70, 75, 76, 82, 94, 118,

125, 126, 131

33 Pine Knoll Drive

**Michael Dorval** 21, 88, 89, 126

57 Clark Street

"It ain't no fun..."

*Goat*

**Stacey Downing** 21, 27, 32, 43, 71, 112, 118, 127,

157

22 Elizabeth Drive

"Change is good for the soul."

-Unknown

**Tiffany Ann Evans** 21, 31, 32, 42, 45, 71, 85, 112,

133, 138, 141, 157

55 Essex Street

"All you need is love."

-John Lennon

*Eccentric*

**Nelson Felix** 21, 70, 82, 99, 106, 131, 132, 133

156 Windwood Drive

"Patience and passage of time do more than strength and fury."

-Jean de la Fontaine

*Rational*

**Sandra Fernandes**

53 Essex Street

**Daniel Ferreira** 12, 21, 33, 96, 138, 140

553 Chapin Street

"Just because I'm going out with someone doesn't mean that other girls stop being hot."

-Habib Yar

*Conan*

**Dennis Fialho**

51 Clarence Street

"Can't nobody hold me down."

-Puff Daddy

*Determined*

**Amy Fields** 21, 108, 131, 140

30 Elm Street

"Have another one."

*Agressive*

**Derek Filipe** 17, 22, 72, 76, 86, 118, 125, 126,

127, 131

56 Oakwood Drive

"The real revolution is the evolution of the mind."

-P.E

*Ambitious*

**Kristen Fioravanti** 8, 17, 22, 107, 126, 127, 138, 141

84 Fuller Street

"No love, no friendship can cross the path of our destiny without leaving some mark on it forever."

-François Mauriac

*Strong-willed*

**Lili Fonseca** 22, 114

51 Roy Street

"You can take me away from Portugal...but you can't take Portugal away from me!!"

*Portuguese*

**Michael Fraga** 22

43 Lakeview Avenue

**Paulo Fragoso** 22, 108, 109

146 Center Street

**Patricia Galarneau** 22, 127, 129, 131

36 Greenwich Street

"Every new beginning is some other beginning's end."

-Semisonic

*Musician*

**Lisa Gama** 22, 105, 114

24 Nowak Circle

"Follow your heart and you'll never go wrong."

*Reliable*

**Tina Ganhao** 17, 22, 32, 110, 127, 137, 140, 157

64 Genovevo Drive

"Don't overlook life's small joys."

*Peppy*

**David Garcia** 22, 88, 89

125 Lockland Avenue

**Lauren Gauthier** 22, 85

1382 Center Street

**Stephen Gawronski** 22, 80, 84, 107, 126, 127,

157

144 Bondsville Road

**Brian Geer** 14, 22, 104, 118, 126, 127

26 Aldo Drive

"I never heard about any cliques, and neither did my exclusive circle of friends."

*Intellectual*

**Blake Gelonese** 23

60 Haswell Circle

**Angela Goncalves** 23, 85, 127, 136, 137, 157

47 Barre Drive

"The secret of man's being isn't only to live but to have something to live for."

-Fyodor Dostoevsky

*Kind-hearted*

**Christina Marie Goncalves** 23, 33, 105, 114

16 Ray Street

**Christina Goncalves** 23

179 Prokop Avenue

"Just look towards the best of things and not towards the worst of things."

*Friendly*

**Lisa Goncalves** 23, 133, 157

44 North Arthur Street

"The only way to change our lives for the better is to change ourselves, and the only way to change ourselves for the better is to change the way we think! The sky is the limit!"

*Independent*

**Melissa Goncalves** 23, 74, 83, 98, 127, 137, 157

67 Hill Terrace

"Don't worry, be happy."

-Bobby McFerrin

*Athlete*

**Carol Graveline** 7, 23, 33, 85, 94, 127, 131,

133, 139, 157

287 West Street

"The greatest pleasure in life is doing what people say you cannot do."

-Anonymous

*Unabashed*

**Jerry Gray**

483 Alden Street

**Sarah Greentree** 23, 157

107 Birch Street

"Live for today because you never know what tomorrow will bring."

*Expressive*

**Karina Grimm** 23, 100, 156

45 Walnut Street

**Sarah Gwozdz** 23, 107, 126

76 Warwick Drive

**Jonathan Haluch** 23, 42, 88, 89, 126

133 Church Street

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9 Walnut Street

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36 Guertin Avenue





"When you find your dreams in the blue grassy field, you will then wake up."

*Supercalifragilisticexpialidocious*

**Timothy Hnatow** 97

181 Mass Avenue

"You can laugh a spineless laugh, we hope your rules and wisdom choke you."

-Thom Yorke

*Paisley*

**Daniel Honorio** 24, 131, 156

156 Swan Avenue

"Life will go on without you, so don't miss out when you have the chance."

*Quiet*

**Jennifer Houlihan** 24, 100

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"Why have one when you can have them all?"

*"Hooch"*

**David Hudyka** 24, 94, 114, 127, 141

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"A honey tongue, a heart of gall, is fancy's spring, but sorrow's fall."

-Sir Walter Raleigh

*Altruistic*

**Elizabeth Ingalls** 24, 28, 45, 110, 113, 126, 127, 156

47 Gamache Drive

"It's not that you're always wrong, it's just that I'm always right."

*Absent*

**Andrew Jarry** 73, 80

22 Erin Lane

**Carlos Juliano** 24

147 Americo Street

"Your dreams, goals are out there. You need to reach out and achieve them."

*Friendly*

**Stephanie Klase**

41 Cady Street

"If you love something, set it free; if it comes back, it was meant to be; if it doesn't, then hunt it down and kill it."

*Booty*

**Carly Knowles** 24, 83, 107, 126, 127, 157

127 Parker Lane

"There is only us, there's only this, forget, regret or life is yours to miss."

*Brat*

**Jacqueline Korbel** 4, 24, 116

212 Blisswood Drive

**Richard Kowalski** 24, 157

35 Hunter Road

"The moment of victory is too short to live for that and nothing else."

*Brat*

**Nichole Koziol** 24, 108

168 Hubbard Street

"You never know what you have until it's gone."

*Rebel*

**Melissa Kulas** 24, 43, 83, 113, 127, 141

40 Northwood Drive

"It wasn't even me talking!"

*Talkative*

**Anthony Kumiega** 24

68 Ray Street

"If you stay true to yourself, you'll find out who your real friends are."

*Honest*

**David Kwajewski** 24, 42, 44, 72, 84, 110, 118,

126, 127, 131, 132, 133

73 Hunter Road

"Nothing builds confidence more than success."

*Determined*

**Amy La Bier** 14, 25, 33, 85, 126, 129, 131, 156

17 Ridgeview Circle

"Life is short...Play hard."

*Equestrian*

**Amy Lagasse** 25, 103, 157

34 Jestina Circle

**Joseph Lalli** 25, 84, 88, 89, 114

17 Andrew Street

"Some say the end is near. Some say we will see the Armageddon sun. Certainly hope we will."

-Tool

*Wicked*

**Bryan LaMont** 25, 157

91 Motyka Street

"Never let anything take away your joy in life, because that's the only reason worth living."

*LaMont*

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130, 131, 137

716 Moore Street

"Not failure, but low aim is a crime."

-James Russell Lowell

*Flexible*

**Justin Laramie** 25, 88, 89, 126

109 River Street

"Forget about tomorrow and live today"

*Undescribable*

**Amanda LaRiviere** 122, 124, 129, 137

120 Lakeview Avenue

"If you judge people, you have no time to love them."

*Necromantic*

**Caryn Lariviere** 132, 157

469 Poole Street

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77 Bridle Path Circle

"Yesterday's the past, tomorrow's the future, but today's a gift. That's why they call it the present."

-Bill Keane

*Queen*

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97 West Akard Street

"Eat, drink and be merry; for tomorrow we die young."

-Dave Matthews

*Myself*

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"Why settle for less when you can have plenty?"

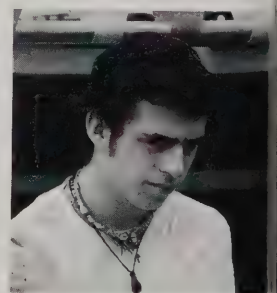
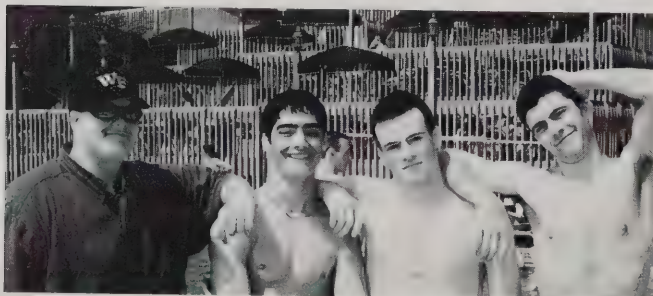
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"Dreaming of the person you want to be is a waste of the person you are."

*Tigger*







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49 Wood Drive  
"Reading is good."  
*Laid-back*

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"Nothing is so strong as gentleness; nothing is so gentle as real strength."  
-Francis de Sales

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"But I have promises to keep, and miles to go before sleep."  
-Robert Frost

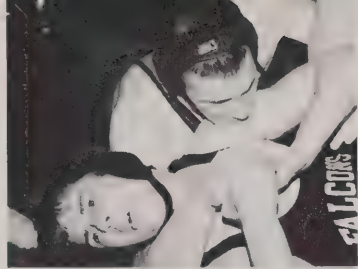
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"I love school and I want to stay forever."  
*Lappy*

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Brookfield Street  
"If you don't like it, don't look."  
*Pinzo*

**Michael Maynard**



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"I don't know."  
*Moody*

**Benjamin Michalski** 8, 26, 78, 101, 141  
143 Nash Hill Road  
"You can't change what you like."  
*Alone*

**Amanda Miller** 26, 33, 100, 126  
58 Nash Hill Road

**Melissa Minie** 26, 114  
186 Massachusetts Avenue  
*Dreamer*

**Danielle Montagna** 26, 107, 126, 127, 157  
183 Skyridge Street  
"I must be traveling on now, there's so many places I've got to see."  
-Lynyrd Skynyrd  
*Princess*

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502 Alden Street  
"The point of life is to create who and what you are, and then experience that."  
-NDW  
*Exuberant*

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"Don't have a seizure your senior year."  
*Korn*

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43 Manor Road  
"Never let go of your dreams, for they are always within reach."  
*Spontaneous*

**Shawna Nally** 27, 32, 107, 126, 157  
28 Joy Street  
"There's a difference between being alive and living!"  
*Empathetic*

**Shelley Ogden** 27, 114, 128, 157



30 River Street  
"Why do today what you can put off until tomorrow?"  
*Procrastinator*

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"Kanawanai yume wa naiyo. Massaugu ni shinjiteru donna toki datte ai wa sukui dato amou kara."  
*Otaku*

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"Why do today what you could put off until tomorrow?"  
*Undecided*

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11 Hampshire Street  
"Think different."

**Steven Petig** 27, 80  
63 Timber Ridge Road  
"No pain, no gain- Good luck"  
*Ecstatic*

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43 Simonds Street  
"Common sense is that layer of prejudice laid down prior to the age of sixteen."  
-Einstein  
*Unfathomable*

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462 East St.  
*Squeaky*

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"The grass is always redder on the other side."  
*Serendipity*

**Slavic Privedenyuk** 27, 108, 157







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657 Poole Street

"Come back and gimme some more of your sweet loving."

**Laura Provost**

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230 Sewall Street

**Julie Pszeniczny** 28, 101, 131, 140

164 Prokop Avenue

"Why do today what can be put off until tomorrow?"

*Tired*

**Nick Pupek**

521 Center Street

**Melissa Quigley** 28

350 West Street

**Anthony Quiterio** 28, 109, 140, 157

119 East Akard Street

"The future belongs to those who believe in the power and beauty of their dreams."

*Understanding*

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36 Hampshire Street

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180 Holyoke Street

"It's all uphill once you graduate."

*Random*

**Corey Richardson**

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**Onex Rickli**

57 Lyons Street

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84 Clark Street

"I'm not afraid of tomorrow because I've seen



yesterday, and I love today."

-Anonymous

*Dedicated*

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121 McLean Parkway

"Love and friendship is like a violin- the music may stop now and then, but the strings remain forever."

*Random*

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260 Colonial Drive

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85 McLean Parkway

"Class of '98 will pass, but the memories will never die."

*Fubu*

**Michele Rodriguez** 5, 20, 29, 103, 140, 157

10 Winsor Street

"Though we may drift apart, there will always be the memories."

*Loud*

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"As I shed a tear for yesterday, I look forward to tomorrow. For yesterday is the past and tomorrow holds my future and my dreams."

*Optimistic*

**Angela Rosa**

255 Chapin Street

**David Rosa**

35 Amherst Street

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76 Meadowlark Circle

"Laughter and dreams are the key to happiness."

*Crazily*

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59 McDonald Circle

"That it will never come again is what makes life so sweet."

-Emily Dickinson

*Emotional*



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113 Loopley Street

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23 Ampere Ave.

**Monica Sanchez** 113

40 Northwood Circle

**Michael Santos** 29, 107, 118

35 Warwick Drive

"Stone walls do not a prison make, nor iron bars cage."

-Richard Lovelace

*Crazy*

**Sheri Santos** 27, 29, 33, 102, 112, 127, 128, 130, 139, 157

80 Elizabeth Drive

"Smile, it's good for you!"

*Unique*

**Thomas Santos** 29

48 Westerly Circle

"Life is short—party hard!"

*Mental*

**Aaron Saunders** 29, 42, 84, 96, 118, 131

28 N. Arthur Street

"There aren't any stupid ideas, just stupid people"

*Daring*

**Danny Serra** 6, 29, 99, 101, 126

220 West Street

"Your true friends are those who stick by you when rough times come."

*Rebel*

**Rui Serrazina** 29, 73, 96, 101, 105, 157

19 Hunter Road

**Maria Joao Serrenho** 30, 127, 140, 157

360 Winsor Street

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121 Prokop Avenue

"You can explain everything later. First get down here and untie me."

**Kelly Ann Silva** 30

35 Berkshire Street







**Joaquim Simao** 30, 130, 156  
7 Barna Street

**Allison Skura** 30, 33, 71, 77, 127, 156  
39 Moore Street  
Make new friends, but keep the old. The new is  
silver and the old is gold."  
*Unpredictable*

**Keith Smolinski** 5, 30, 94, 98, 127, 131  
4 Brookhaven Drive  
We may lose and we may win, but we will never be  
ere again."  
-from "Take It Easy" by The Eagles  
*Hyperactive*

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1 Batista Circle  
All we need is love."  
-John Lennon  
*Polajicious*

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53 West Avenue

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2 Erin Lane

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124, 125, 126, 128, 129, 130, 131, 137, 157, 160  
31 Posner Circle  
...I should feel that somehow the whole adventure of  
existence was justified by my having met you."  
-Lewis Mumford  
*Versatile*

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140  
8 McLean Parkway  
Yes, there are two paths you can go by; but in the  
long run, there's still time to change the road you're  
on."  
-Robert Plant



*Independent*

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51 Alfred Street

**Krissy Williams** 30, 103, 107, 157  
54 Old West Street  
"If something doesn't feel right, it isn't."  
*Motor-mouth*

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37 Warren Street  
"The degree of education can be judged by  
observing its prisoners."  
-F. Dostoyevsky  
*Vino (says it all)*

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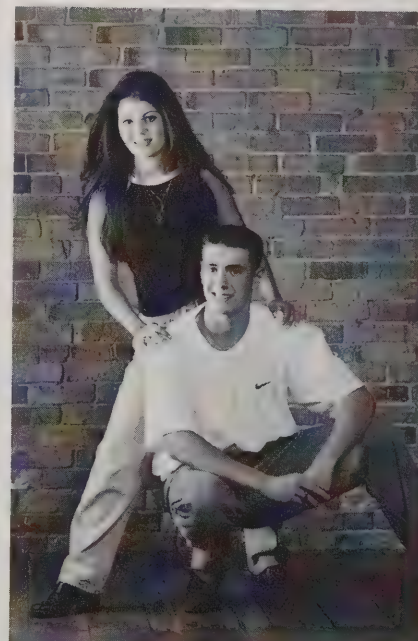




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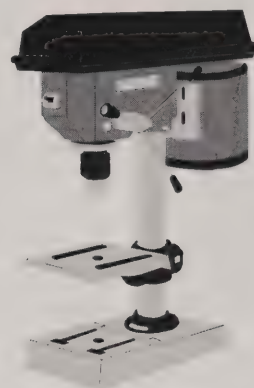


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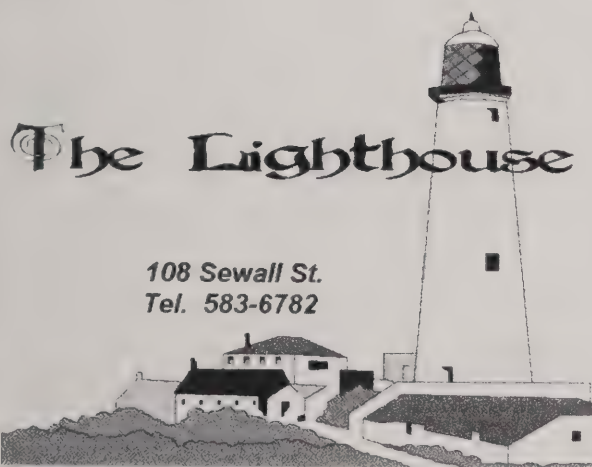
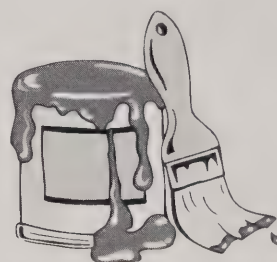
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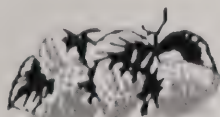


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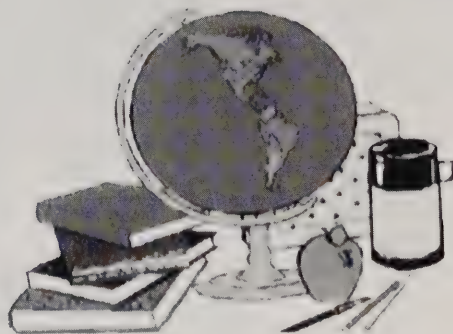


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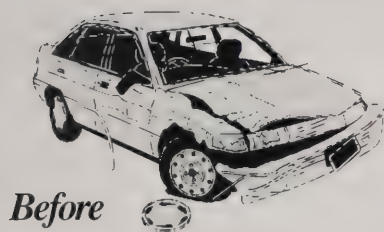
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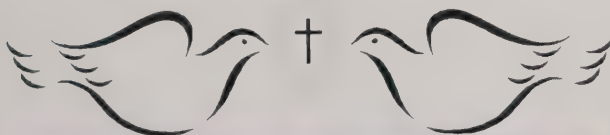


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*Congratulations Lisa, Amanda, Julie, Linda, & DiDi!!!*

*We've had fun; but like life, we must move on.  
We wish you all the best of luck in your future endeavors.  
You all deserve the best life has to offer.*

*Don't be afraid to set your marks on the world,  
and don't let any hindrances block your visions of success.  
Remember, "A bird can only fly if the sky has no boundaries."  
Don't be afraid to soar.*

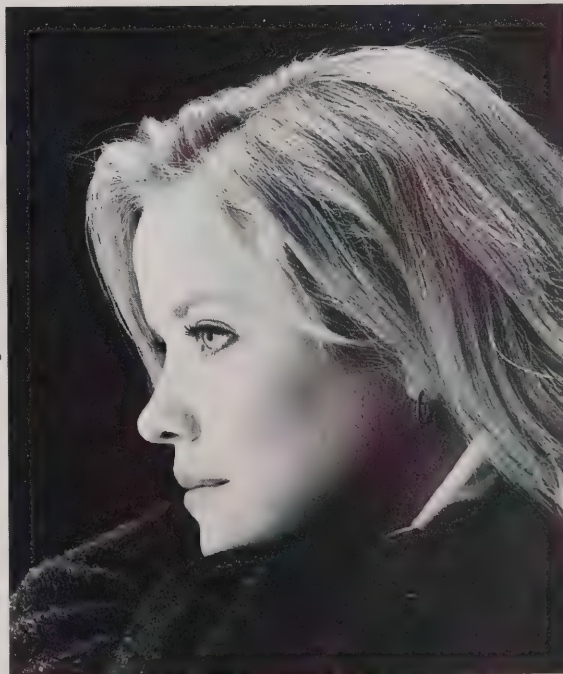
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*Donna,*

*You have been a great sister and friend throughout the years.  
Congratulations and best of luck in the future.*

*Love always,*

*Elaine*



*Dear Donna,*

*We are very proud of all your accomplishments, but most of all for  
the young lady that you have become. Remember, "When one door closes, another  
opens." May all your doors open to success and happiness. Congratulations!*

*With all our love,*

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Congratulations Jennifer!

May all of your goals and dreams come true. We love you and are so very proud of you!

May God Bless You Always!

Love,

Mom, Dad, Jason, and Jeffrey



Dear Melissa,

No words can express the depth of pride and love we feel for you, our daughter. Believe in yourself and your goals as much as we have always believed in you.

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Love,

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Mia,

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Love,

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*We were blessed with Love, Joy, and Happiness when you came into our lives. We are very proud of you.*

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Stacey,

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your dreams  
come true.

Love,  
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Congratulations  
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Love,  
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Dear Kelbob,

Where have the past four years gone? Seems like only yesterday that our friendship began. We have shared many laughs and tears together. You are my best friend and always will be. I hope your path in life will be filled with love, laughter, and health.

Forever your Friend,  
Melissa

Nadia,

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Love,  
Mom & Laura



Erin,  
We'll always  
remember  
the summers.  
Twinkies Rule!!!!  
Love Always,  
Danielle

&  
Jill.





*David,  
We are so proud of  
you!  
Mom, Dad, Christy,  
and Lynn*



We're very proud  
of you Patty!  
Love,  
Granny + Gramps  
Galarneau



*Dennis Fialho,  
We are proud of you.  
Keep reaching for your  
goals!  
We Love You,  
Mom, Dad, & Nelson*

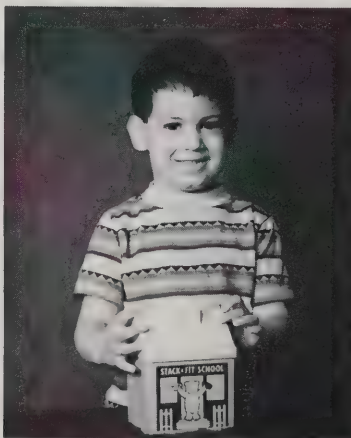
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Never stop  
reaching for the  
stars... and  
remember, we love  
you always +  
forever.  
Mom, Dad, Jillian,  
Alyssa, & Whiskers.



*Carol,  
Thank you for  
bringing so much joy  
into our lives. We are  
so proud of you  
Love,  
Mom and Dad*



*Rebecca,  
You've always made  
us proud. You are one of  
our greatest blessings.  
May all your dreams  
come true.  
Love,  
Mom & Dad*



*Bryan,  
We wish you the  
very best in life. We  
are very proud of you.  
Love,  
Mom, Dad,  
and Karla*



*Chris-  
You have  
made your  
entire family,  
both in Heaven  
and on Earth,  
very proud!  
Congratulations.  
Love,  
Mom*



Ryan,

You have enriched  
our lives, and we thank  
you for all the joy you  
have brought us. May all  
your dreams come true!

Love,  
Mom, Dad, Nicole



Jeff,

Aim high, reach far,  
may your future shine  
like the brightest star;  
may it be as special as  
you are.

Love,  
Mom and Dad



Cindy,

*Congratulations!* We are so very proud of you.

Love,  
Mom, Dad, Mike, and Nicole

Kristen,

You've been adding  
to your own recipe for  
success through all  
these years. Just  
remember that you have  
always been the key  
ingredient!

We're so very proud  
of you and all you have  
done!

Love Mom and Dad



Jennifer Ann,

Dad and I are  
proud of you. We know  
you have what it takes to  
be a success in life.

Love,  
Mom and Pearl Ann



Melissa,

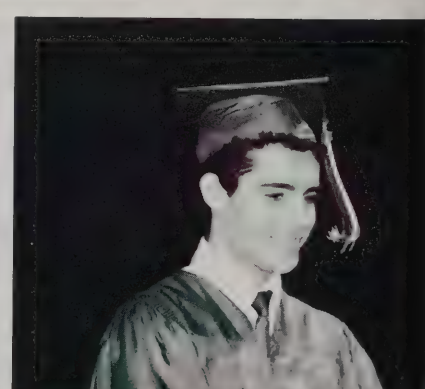
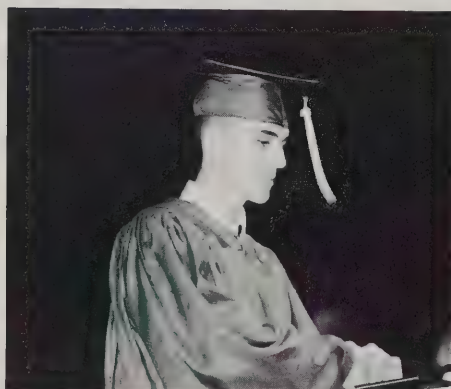
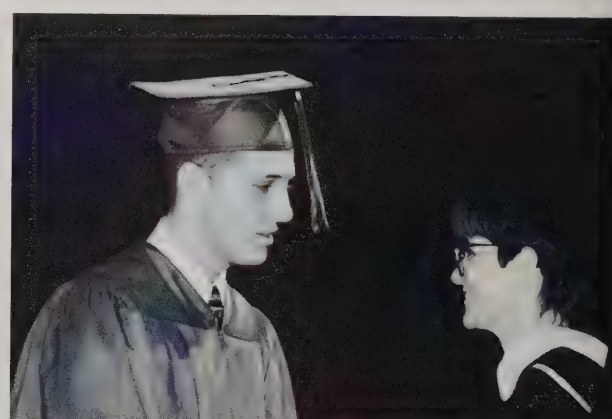
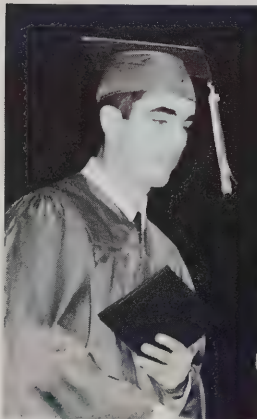
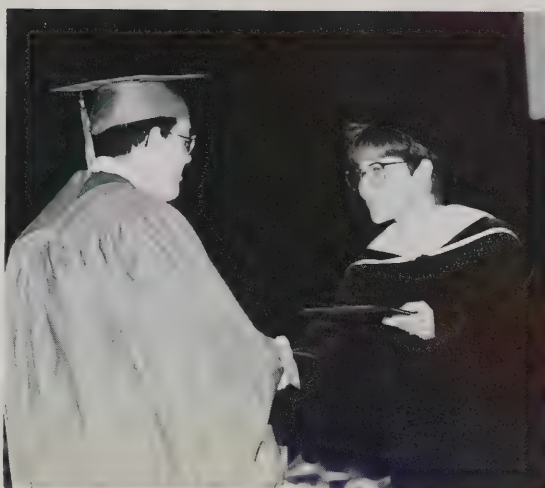
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May all your dreams  
come true.

Love,  
Dad and Matt



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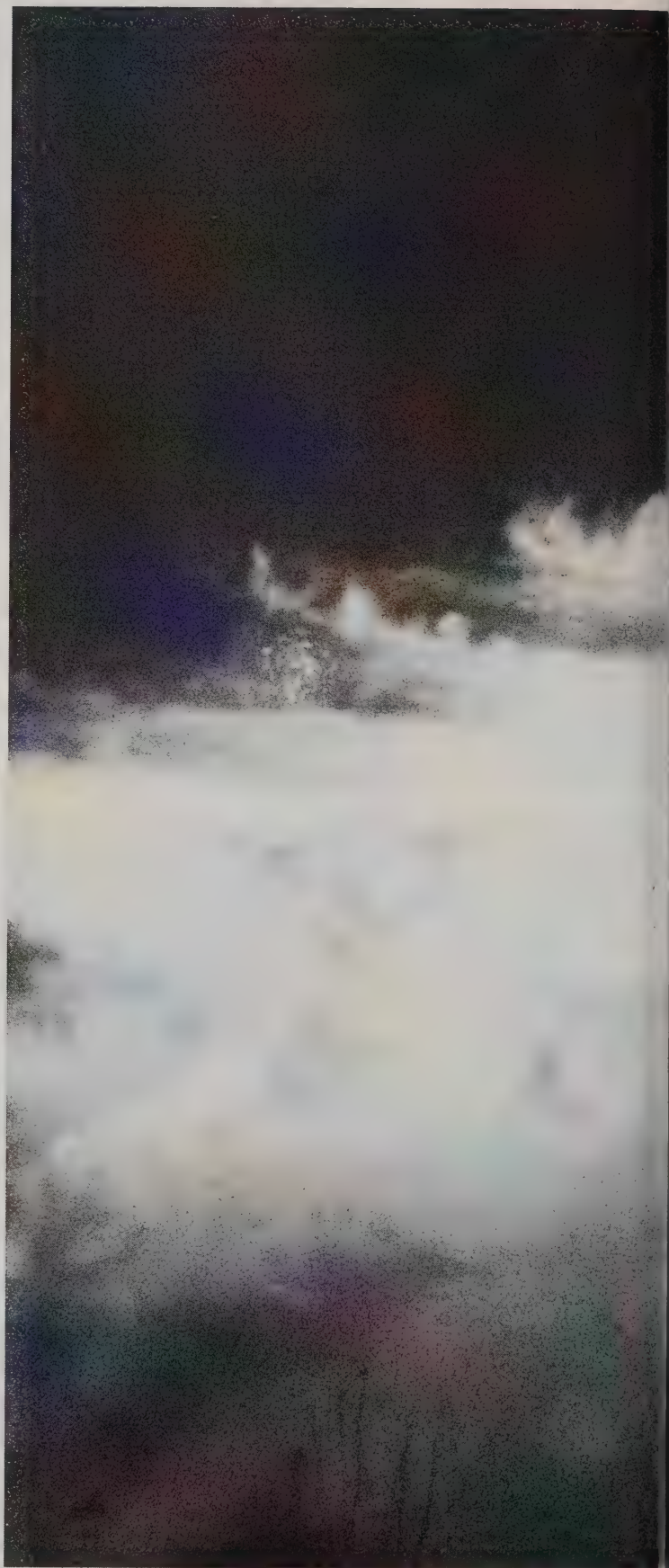




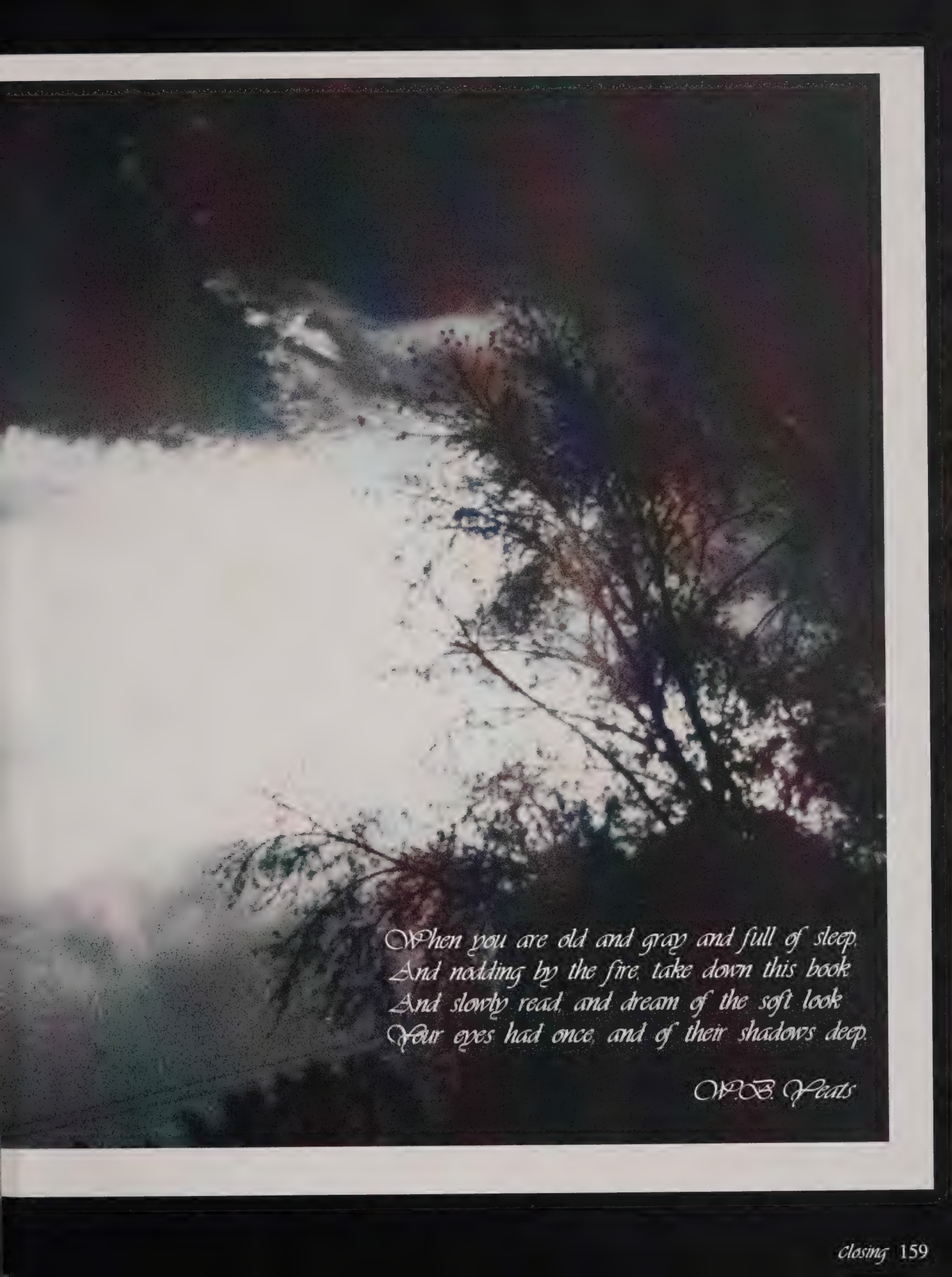
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**A**fter the clear graduation night on June 5th, the Class of 1998 was officially free. The latest addition to Ludlow High School's alumni left the Mullins Center in Amherst, diplomas in hand.

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And nodding by the fire, take down this book  
And slowly read, and dream of the soft look  
Your eyes had once, and of their shadows deep.*

*W.B. Yeats*



# CONCLUSION

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